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## Kresge Reigns Over May Day Festivities

### V-E DAY

As one hundred seventy students and the faculty of Susquehanna assembled for their usual chapel services this morning they heard over the radio in the chapel these words, "The German armies have surrendered unconditionally to the allies." These memorable words came from the lips of our president, Harry S. Truman. 9:02 a. m. Tuesday, May 8, 1945, will long be remembered by all the peoples of the world. To America and the Allies it means the half way mark toward total peace. This victory should not be one of hilarious celebration but rather one of solemn prayer and thanksgiving.

To the men in the service, we pray for their return home. We extend deep gratitude to all those who have striven in the conflict, the wounded, the maimed, the captives, and those who have given their lives for their country's honour, safety, and peace. The President has issued a proclamation setting aside May 13, as a day of prayer and thanksgiving to our God.

### Debaters' Club Goes To West Point, N. Y.

The Susquehanna debate team journeyed to the United States Military Academy at West Point, New York, this week-end to participate in a tournament. Returning to the campus the debaters brought home the third place honors. The final results of the tournament were first place, West Point; 2nd, Penn State; 3rd, Susquehanna, followed by the University of Pennsylvania, Boston University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and Columbia University.

The question for debate was: Resolved, That a constitutional amendment be adopted establishing a majority acceptance of treaties by both Houses of Congress. Representing Susquehanna were Arthur J. Geinett and Celio Lettitz and Coach Dr. Russel Gilbert. The debaters were the guests of the cadets and had many new experiences while eating, sleeping, and living in this military atmosphere.

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### Alumni News

Janet Second, class of '44, was married to 2nd Lt. Warren MacPherson of the United States Army, on May 7, 1945. The ceremony took place at the Valley Forge Chapel.

As of April 1st, Eleanor, U.S.N.R., '38, is a Lieutenant (j.g.). She is stationed at Iowa State Teachers College, Cedar Falls, Iowa.

Major Sam Fletcher was here on April 18th, before reporting for six months' duty overseas.

Sgt. Douglas Portzline, class of '42, is with Patch's army in Germany.

Col. John W. Oberdorf was made a member of the Legion of Merit, at the order of Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, in France, on March 20th. This citation was given in recognition of the important part Col. Oberdorf took in

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### "Ghosts of Hilo," Dances to Be Given by Students

May the twelfth is the day set aside by Susquehanna University to welcome spring with many colorful festivities. This joyous occasion will be coupled with sub-freshman day.

One of the main attractions during the course of the day will be the presentation of scenes from the operetta, "The Ghosts of Hilo" at the rock garden next to Hassinger Hall. Dances by the Eurythmics Ensemble and a May Pole Dance will also be given.

Crowning of the May Queen will take place at the rock garden. Miss Louise Kresge, a conservatory student from Ocean Grove, N. J., has been chosen

to be our May Queen. The Lady-in-Waiting is Jean Kinzer, a commercial education student from Newport, Pa. The members of the court are as follows: Miss Jean Geiger from Williamsport, Pa.; Miss Corinne Kahn from Bloomfield, N. J.; Miss Mary Moyer from Middleburg, Pa.; Miss Marian Willard from Coatesville, Pa.; Miss Margaret Walters from Milton, Pa., and Miss Patricia Snyder, from Sunbury, Pa.

Anne Wilson, Linda Charles, Carol Jean Heller, and John Slavoff will also be in attendance at the May Court.

The Junior class will also hold their annual dance in the evening of May Day. The sub-freshmen who are present on our campus May twelfth will be given a chance to see what life is like at Susquehanna.

## Bond Rally Features Infantry Orchestra; March and April Sales Total \$2193.70

On Friday evening, April 27, the Army Infantry Concert Group presented an outstanding musical performance for the people of Snyder county and Susquehanna University. The orchestra was composed exclusively of enlisted men who were instrumentalists with the Nation's leading symphony orchestra before their induction into the army. The music consisted of both classical and modern pieces with light classics, waltzes, symphonic extracts, tangos and modern favorites.

Their own arrangement of "Star Dust" was delightfully modern with the high tones of the Stradivarius in the hands of Plo. Rudnitsky being particularly effective.

The concert was arranged under the sponsorship of the Snyder County War Finance Committee to focus attention on the Seventh War Loan campaign which opens on May 14. This orchestra has received high praise from well known musical experts as Arturo Toscanini. It was first formed for the purpose of raising military morale by providing music for the soldiers while in training and in hospitals.

During intermission, Rine Winey was presented the U. S. Treasury Flag, which was awarded for the high percentage of war stamps and war bonds which the students and faculty of Sus-

quehanna University had purchased during the month of March.

In conclusion, Lt. Charles Grunwell gave a dramatic speech with a musical background, in which he told of the sufferings of our boys and the importance of our buying the war bonds and stamps.

The students of Susquehanna are again eligible to buy the U. S. Treasury Flag for the month of May by surpassing their goal of 90 per cent in the April War Stamp-Bond Drive.

The April Drive, which opened April 16 and continued throughout the remainder of the month, netted 95% student participation with a total of \$834 in bonds and stamps sold. Junior and sophomore classes shared equal honors by each having 100% participation, while the seniors had 95%, and the freshmen 85%.

Those members of the faculty who contributed gave generously, and they bought \$489.75 in stamps and bonds.

This makes a total purchase of \$1304.50 of bonds and stamps for the month of April and \$2193.70 worth of purchases for both the months of March and April.

The last intensive drive of the present school year will be conducted from May 14 to May 17.

## THIS IS OUR MAY QUEEN

A Queen—no, not in the ordinary sense! There is nothing stately about our "Lou." She is the epitomization of vim, vigor, and vitality.

"Lou's" special interests are in navy submarine officers, especially those named "Larry." She said that along with her ambition was that "eventually" being a housewife.

All kinds of foods find favor with her but particularly Goulash, the way "Mom" makes it, candied sweet potatoes, and ice-cream.

In regard to interests, they certainly are varied. She is interested in all sorts of sports but swimming is really started. She likes photography, and collecting pictures isn't any sideline as anyone who has been in her room can tell you.

In her field of music, she is taking the Music Supervisor course and hopes to teach band and choral work in high school. Her taste in music runs to the classical with Tschalkowsky, Shubert,

and Iturbi.

"Lou" has really been active on our campus. She was president of Inter-Sorority Council, president of S.A.I., a member of Student Council, Student Christian Association, Women's Athletic Association, Theater Guild, Eymphony Orchestra, Cheer leader, the Girls' Swing Band, and the Trinity choir.

This blue-eyed, brown haired, 5' 4" tall, lass really does pack a "wallop."

What is the student's opinion?—she is tops!

### Business Society Party

Combining business and pleasure the Business Society will hold a meeting at Little Norway this Wednesday beginning at 6 p. m. The program will include the annual meeting with reports from the retiring officers and a spring picnic and entertainment.

## Plans for Freshman Orientation Program

"The Freshman Orientation Program made it easy for us to become adjusted to the campus." "I liked the introduction of the rules and regulations." "I was glad to meet the upper-classesmen and appreciated their help." These are some comments made by Freshmen who were introduced to S. U. through the Freshman Orientation Program. This program, which was conducted for the first time last year, proved so successful that it was decided to incorporate it as a permanent program.

The program is designed to help the Freshmen become adjusted to college life. This is first accomplished by group leaders writing to the incoming students during the summer. Upon their arrival on campus they are introduced to the traditions, the rules and regulations, and are taught the school songs.

The committee consists of a general chairman and an assistant chairman who are appointed by the advisors. Group leaders and assistants are chosen for their outstanding character, ability, and leadership by the chairman and his assistants. The president of Student Council is an honorary member of the organization; the advisors are: Adis Miriam Unangst, Miss Bertha Hein, and Miss Betty Smith. This Freshman Orientation Program works in conjunction with the orientation program sponsored by the administration.

The committee for this year consists of the following: general chairman, Marjorie Stapleton; assistant chairman, Margaret Johns; group leaders, Jane Malkames, Jean Straussner, Dorothy Sternat, Charlotte Smith, Hope Spicer, Betty Jane Herr, Marjorie Barton, Helen Eby, Carmen Beckwith; the assistant group leaders are: Emily Mae Leiby, Grace Lemon, Jane Gundrum, Dorothy Wagner, Adah Wolfe, Gayle Clark, Ruth Williams, Nancy Myers, Jean Kelly; the Freshman representatives are Naomi Garman and Hilda Markey.

## OPEN HOUSE HELD AT BOND AND KEY

Saturday night, May 5th, the Bond and Key Fraternity held an open house for the members and their guests.

Larry Weller acted as host with Peggy Minier helping. Other couples attending were: Rine Winey and Hope Spicer, Frank Wolfe and Nancy Lou Bicking, Ira Wasserburg and Corinne Graybill, Charles Mitchell and Ruby Meyer, Jack Larson and Helen Eby, Herbie Dankman and Naomi Garman, Dave Kemberling and Margie Johns, Ongkar Narayan also attended but without a date.

Dr. and Mrs. Robeson and Professor and Mrs. Linebaugh acted as chaperones.

### STUDENTS NOTE

Event ..... JUNIOR PROM  
Time ..... 8:30 p. m.  
Date ..... Sat., May 12  
Place ..... ALUMNI GYM

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## AS WE TAKE OVER

With the coming of a new school term and the ending of the present one, we as the staff of the '45-'46 "Susquehanna" take over the responsibility of editing and publishing our paper. When we say our paper we mean that "The Susquehanna" is a paper by the students, of the students, and for the students. It is now our task to live up to the excellent work as established by our past publishers. Using all our efforts we shall try to give you the news you want and the news of interest to the present students as well as the men in the service of our country. We pledge ourselves to ceaseless effort to do the task to the best of our ability. To the retiring Editor and staff we send our hearty congratulations for your excellent accomplishments throughout this past school term. A.J.G.

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## WE WILL BUILD

"The bricks are falling down, but we will build with hewn stones. The sycamores are cut down but we will change them into cedars." Isaiah 9:10

Today marks the end of the first two weeks of the historic San Francisco Security Conference. On April 25, 1945, more than two hundred delegates from forty-six nations around the world arrived at the Opera House in San Francisco to take up their grave responsibilities. They have been hard at work formulating plans for a world organization to maintain the peace when this gigantic struggle has ceased.

The fact that news of progress from San Francisco has been meager is not alarming because, as one radio commentator says, "No news is good news," and committees have been going on with their work quietly and efficiently. Word reaches us that some reporters at the Conference have been looking for disagreements and feuding them, but they are not having great success in stirring up trouble because the common goal before all of these men has influenced them to deliberate coolly, compromise when necessary, and forge ahead, wasting no time on petty, selfish interests.

One disturbing factor at the Security Conference has been the opposition on the part of the Russian delegation, particularly Foreign Commissar, V. M. Molotov. The crisis was passed successfully, however, when Mr. Molotov was granted the three votes in the

General Assembly that the Soviet Union had requested, and when his suggestion for a rotating Chairmanship of the Conference was agreed to by the Conference. Mr. Molotov compromised on another point and agreed to the appointment of U. S. Secretary of State Edward R. Stettinius, Jr., as chairman of the important Steering Committee.

A great many problems must be faced by the delegates, chief among them the question of Polish representation, but the conference has demonstrated its determination to provide the people, whose future has been entrusted to them, with an organization that will surely guarantee to all men the rights of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.

Tremendously important to the intelligent understanding and use of these privileges, is education. We are among those more fortunate individuals at whose finger-tips knowledge has been placed. May we strive as earnestly and devotedly to accomplish our highest ambitions, so that we may be worthy of the great organization of which we shall be a part. The most perfect plans for a just and everlasting peace will inevitably fall without your full-hearted, prayerful cooperation. Watch! Work! Pray!

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## ATTENTION!!!

Now that visitors are more common than usual on the campus please help to keep the campus looking as attractive as it should. Do not discard empty wrappers, envelopes or scrap paper anywhere except in receptacles. Susquehanna looks lovely in her spring apparel so let's not deface her.

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## GOOD WORK

Congratulations to the Junior Class for putting out a wonderful edition of the Lanthorn. Orchids too, to every one on the staff. It is a book we may all be proud to keep as a souvenir of one more happy year at Susquehanna.

Help make next year's Lanthorn just as great a success as this year's by patronizing the merchants who aided us with their advertisements.

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## TWO YEARS AGO—

The Army Aviation Cadets participated in the war bond parade in Sunbury.

Ada Jayne Romig and Kay Byrod were the doubles champs in the badminton tournament.

## CAMPUSOLOGY

Well, kids, I guess you all know by this time that LaVerne has the mumps, and that Charlie is gargling and taking pills regularly to ward them off. We wish you all the luck in the world, Charlie!!

Ah! Hazleton was the lucky town the weekend before last. Practically all of Selbert Third was there. But the incident that takes the cake is when all of the gang was out at the "Pines," and Harry Welliver walked in. You can just imagine the reception he got, that lucky fellow!!

I wonder why Bobbie Kain is wearing the 14 elephant pin. Is it characteristic?

Frankie Wolfe says that even though he had a date the 30th, he was lonely. Could N.L.B. be the cause of it? And speaking of Frankie, we hear from all reports that he was proposing to Dr. Dunkelberger the other day in class. No, girls, he didn't quite make it!

Then there's that case of Moore and Pfahler. You should have heard and seen all the excitement down at Jam-singer Wednesday evening when Hassimile arrived. Girls, he's really a dream, and that Southern accent! Hum-m-m. "Anybody got a cigarette?" Seems like a regular question now. I guess all of S. U. is going Lauren Bacall crazy.

I was wondering why there was such a commotion the other day at the mail boxes when all of a sudden my eyes beheld Ben Herr literally dragging, not one, not two, but ten letters out of her box—all of them from Fred.

Then there's another little news item that I picked up at Reich's the other night. Dave Kemberling and Betty Frank have been seeing each other quite a bit. Hum-m-m, we'll have to look into this.

It seems that Alvin Glanzberg has taken a fancy to Harriet's umbrella. Out of all the other umbrellas on Selbert's porch, he chose hers to borrow during the rain storm last Thursday evening.

Have you heard about the newest rage on campus? It's the game "Par-

## At the Stanley

May 7—Together Again. Col.  
 May 8—Together Again.  
 May 9—Dangerous Passage. Para.  
 May 10—National Velvet. Met.  
 May 11—National Velvet.  
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 May 14—Between Two Women. Met.  
 May 15—Between Two Women.  
 May 16—Faces in the Fog. Rep.  
 May 17—For Whom the Bell Tolls. Tech. Para.  
 May 18—For Whom the Bell Tolls.  
 May 19—Giri Rush. R.K.O.  
 May 21—None But the Lonely Heart. R.K.O.  
 May 22—None But the Lonely Heart.  
 May 23—Double Exposure. Para.  
 May 24—Winged Victory. Fox.  
 May 25—Winged Victory.  
 May 26—Nevada. R.K.O.  
 May 28—This Man's Navy. Met.  
 May 29—This Man's Navy.  
 May 30—Sweet and Lowdown. Fox  
 May 31—A Tree Grows in Brooklyn. Fox

At the Strand

May 7, 8, 9—Winged Victory. Fox  
 May 10, 11, 12—A Tree Grows in Brooklyn. Fox  
 May 14, 15—Bowery to Broadway. Univ.  
 May 16, 17—Song of Bernadette. Fox  
 May 18, 19—Here Come the Coeds  
 May 21, 22—Woman in the Window. R.K.O.  
 May 23—Abroad With Two Yonks  
 May 24, 25, 26—Thunderhead  
 May 28, 29—Belle of Yukon.  
 May 30, 31—God Is My Co-Pilot

chesi," which is causing quite a divergence and disturbance from all reports. It's a special pastime of the Phi Mu fellows.

Mystery!!!!! Just why did Larsen and Pescarmona disappear last week and eventually show up at Eby's house? All conclusions will be gratefully accepted by the editor.

Ross's shirt does get around. Don Price came down to see Margie Friday night, and she had to run around looking for a skirt as she was clad only in "the shirt."

Did you see the new table list??? Enuf said!

Becky certainly has been all smiles lately. She had news that her brother was liberated in Germany, and with that kind of news who wouldn't smile!

And speaking of smiling faces, I think that Jackie Braveman is going to break some of the muscles in her face from smiling so much especially since Mel is here for a week. These lucky, lucky people!

If anybody finds a pledge pin, which was lost at the Band and Key party, please return to Peggy Minier.

Now for another choice news item. Harry Culp has given Peggy his ring. I guess everybody must be trying them on for size lately.

Naomi Day went home this past weekend to visit her brother. Hope Peters went home, too, but the Navy is to be blamed for her departure.

Did you know, kids, that Marie Talbot was overjoyed, so overjoyed, in fact, that she let out an Indian war whoop when she heard that Dexter Welkel was going to be a Music Education student next year. Now, Marie, tell all.

This most hilarious event of last week, however, was the reading of "Birdie" by Dr. Wilson. The most talked-of event was "term papers" and such abbreviations as "bid," "op. cit.," and "loc. cit."

Hilda went home again this weekend, and as usual Johnny gave her a red roses corsage. I still believe in the old adage that "absence makes the heart grow fonder." But who knows???

Well, gads, there's really nothing else I can think of at present. I hope that all of you are going to the dance next Saturday night as it's going to be quite exciting from all reports. Until the next time, then, be good and don't take any wooden nickles.

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## Symphony Features Seniors in Concert

Last Thursday evening, May 3, the Susquehanna University Symphony Orchestra presented its annual spring concert in the chapel in Selbert Hall. Professor Hatz, director, and his understudies who presented us with a delightful evening's entertainment, opened the concert with the Star-Spangled Banner.

"Adramus Te" and "Sancus" by Palestrina were rendered us after settling back in our seats followed by Schubert's "Symphony No. 8 in B Minor" or better known as the "Unfinished Symphony." Just before intermission we enjoyed Chadwick's "Folk Song."

Bob Surplus, one of our own seniors, wrote the orchestration of the number. After intermission the orchestra played Mozart's "Concerto No. 4 in D Major," featuring Peggy Walter as violinist; Wagner's "Elsa's Dream from 'Lohengrin,'" Bob Surplus playing the trumpet solo; and MacDowell's "Woodland Sketches," "To a Wild Rose," and "Told at Sunset," featuring Lou Kresge as organist.

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—Be safe and sure—use V-mail in correspondence with service men.



## OUR FROSH

FLORENCE STROUSE claims the vicinity of Williamsport as her hometown and is 5' 2" tall. "Floesie" is majoring in Voice expecting to study it after leaving S. U. and then wishes to travel and live for awhile in India and Southern Africa. Fishing and swimming are her favorite sports. The Army Air Corps and Navy both hold a place in her heart. Among other favorites are banana cream pie, stamp collecting, "National Geographic Magazine," "Reader's Digest," Jon Hall, Guy Lombardo, and Strauss' waltzes.

ADELE TAUB, also 5' 2", hails from Passaic, N. J. Swimming is her favorite sport. The L. S. T. of the Navy claim her attention. Adele is majoring in Journalism, but expects to marry after leaving S. U. For good reading material she'll choose "Ladies Home Journal," "Coronet," or "One With the Wind." "Mac," Irish Setters, Van Johnson, Vivian Leigh, and Glenn Miller also head her list. "He's Home for a Little While" is her favorite song.

RUTH ULRICH alias "Ricky" is of local residence and measures 5' 4" in height. After leaving here she expects to enter into nursing at the Columbia Medical Center. The Navy is her favorite branch, but the reason is a military secret. "Ricky" collects photos for a hobby. For enjoyment she likes swimming, "Life," "Burma Surgeon," Lauren Bacall, and Harry James' orchestra. Favorite song—"Let's Take the Long Way Home."

GAYNELE WAGONER, who comes from Pylesville, Md., is majoring in Chemistry. But this 5' 2 1/2" miss wants to be a housewife. "Gay's" favorite branch is the Navy; her hobby is writing to Buddie. Steak and ice cream are her favorite foods. Swimming, "Gone With the Wind," Van Johnson and Tommy Dorsey are also enjoyed by her. "Laura" is "Gay's" favorite song.

GLORIA WALMER, also known as "Nan," comes from Penbrook, a suburb of the capital city. She uses her 5' 4" to good advantage while playing her favorite sport, basketball. Although she spends a lot of time writing letters, she likes to eat chicken and waffles and ice cream, look at "Life," and listen to "Star Dust." Other favorites are Lloyd Douglas, Van Johnson, Glenn Miller and the Army Air Corps. She is majoring in Business Education and expects to teach or become a secretary.

DEXTER WEIKEL, who comes from Espy, Pa., is majoring in History expecting to enter graduate school after leaving here. "Dex" is 5' 9" tall. He likes steak and chicken. Reading is his hobby, his favorites being "Life," "Etude," and Van Loon's Lives. "Star Dust" is his favorite song. His favorite actress is Bette Davis; his favorite orchestra leader is Fred Waring.

### Did You Know?

Date	Event	Time
May 8, Tues.	Business Society—Social Room	7 p. m.
May 9, Wed.	Business Society Picnic	5-6 p. m.
May 10, Thurs.	Biemic Society—St. 100	7 p. m.
May 10, Thurs.	Second Bidding Day	
May 11, Fri.	Alpha Psi Omega Dinner at Mr. Haskins	
May 12, Sat.	Sub-Freshman Day	
May 12, Sat.	Junior Day Exercises	2 p. m.
May 12, Sat.	Junior Prom—Gymnasium	8-12 p. m.
May 14, Mon.	Students Evening Recital—Chapel	8:15 p. m.
May 15, Tues.	Alpha Psi Omega Fraternity	5 p. m.
May 15, Tues.	Theatre Guild—GA	

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## NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

### Election of SCA Cabinet

On Monday, April 30, the members of the Student Christian Association chose the cabinet for the coming school term of '45-'46. The following were elected to the new cabinet: Marie Kluck, Jane Mulkames, Hope Spicer, Marjorie Stapleton, Dorothy Sternat, Jean Strauser, Betty A. J. Herr, Eleanor Steele, Arthur J. Gelnett, Rine Winey, David Bomboy, Russel Brown, Jerry Moore, and Dexter Weikel.

Following this election the Cabinet held its first meeting Tuesday afternoon in the Seibert parlors, at which time the officers were elected. Among the officers of the cabinet are Marjorie Stapleton, general president; Dorothy Sternat, girls' president; Arthur J. Gelnett, boys' president; Jean Strauser, secretary; Dexter Weikel, treasurer. Committees were also appointed for the coming year.

### Conservatory Evening Recital

Students of the Conservatory presented an evening recital at 8:15 p. m., Monday, May 7, 1945, in Seibert Chapel. Almost completely a senior recital, the program was as follows:

Organ—"Folentine Chimes" by Bingham—Louise Kresge  
Violin—"Hejre Katt" by Hubay and "Orientele" by Cul—Margaret Walter  
Songs—"Stille Thranen" by Schumann and "Tell Me, O Blue, Blue Sky," by Giannini—Gloria Machamer  
Piano—"Romance" by Schutt—Louise Kresge

Organ—"Caprice" by Kinder—Dorothy Sternat  
Piano—"Concerto (1st movement)" by Schumann—Wells Gemberling, with Prof. P. M. Linebaugh at the organ  
Trumpet—"The Debutante" by Clarke—Robert Surplus

Aria—"Pace, Pace Mio Dio" from "Forma del Destino" by Verdi—Gloria Machamer  
Violin—"Malaguena" by Sarasate—Margaret Walter

South American Nocturnes—"Breakers off Baranquilla," "Andean Lullaby," and "Dusk in the Tropics" by Clokey  
—Susquehanna Singers, under the direction of Mrs. Alice Glagie

Another Student Evening Recital is scheduled for 8:15 p. m., May 14, 1945, in Seibert Chapel.

### Conservatory News

Monday night, April 30, 1945, the juniors and seniors of the Conservatory attended the final rehearsal of the Harrisburg Symphony, which presented its concert the following night under the baton of George King Raudenbush.

Leaving Seibert Hall at 6:30 p. m. in cars driven by Prof. R. C. Hatz, Mr. Harry Miller, and Miss Lenore Garman, the fifteen juniors and seniors reached the Forum in Harrisburg at 8 p. m., only a few minutes before Mr. Raudenbush introduced to the orchestra for the first time Marisa Regules, South American pianist, who would play Rachmaninoff's "Concerto No. 3" with the orchestra the following night. For nearly an hour and a half conductor, soloist, and orchestra worked on the concerto.

Then, after a brief intermission, the rehearsal continued with Beethoven's "Lenore Overture," followed by Rimsky-Korsakoff's "Scheherazade."

The Susquehanna students left during the rehearsal of this last number in order to get back to the dormitories ahead of the milkman. Incidentally, ask "Soapie" about her little gray friend at the "ten minute stop" at Amity Hall!

—Buy War Bonds and Stamps.

### Day Student Party

On Wednesday evening, May 2, the day students of the school enjoyed a weiner roast at the Selinsgrove Community Swimming Beach along the Susquehanna River.

After enjoying the refreshments of roasted weiners, toasted marshmallows, potato chips, soft drinks, and doughnuts plans were discussed for future events and a combined organization of men and women day students for next year, and then group singing and discussion was enjoyed around the fire.

Those day students who were present for the party were: Selma Lehman, Edith Kemp, Jewel MacNamara, Dawn Ebert, Norma and Marianna Hazen, Phyllis Kniss, Pat Snyder, Evelyn Wilhour, Pank Bittinger, Arla Bilger, Helen Lepley, Lenora Garman, Elro Hacker, Jerry Moore, Rine Winey, Ongkar Narayan, Art Gelnett, Celso Leitzel, Carl Herman, and Harry Culp.

### Phi Mu Delta

At a formal meeting of the Brothers of Mu Alpha Chapter of Phi Mu Delta on Wednesday, May 2, were elected the following officers:

President, Roswell Johns  
Vice-president, Joseph Taylor  
Secretary, Roy Stahl  
Chaplain, Jerry Moore  
Sgts-at-arms, Dexter Weikel and Harry Welliver  
Comptroller, Joseph Taylor  
These officers will be installed at the end of the present semester and will serve for the coming year.

### Kappa Delta Phi

At 8:30 Friday evening, May 4, the pledges of K.D.P. gave a backward party for the active members. The party started off with a bang when the active members were blindfolded and guided down the stairs to the social rooms. From there they went through a very tough obstacle course. Finally they removed their blindfolds and went into the sorority room which was covered with string cobwebs. They began to roll it up trying to find the present at the end of the string. After this an entertainment was given by the pledges. Then refreshments were served. All had a backward good time.

### Sigma Alpha Iota

On May 4th the regular meeting of S. A. I. was held in the Chapter Room. Plans were made for the Rush Party which will be held on Wednesday night, May 9th. Other plans for the rushees, Marjorie Mengel, Nedra Polanchyck, Florence Strouse, and Virginia Walker were made.

### MILLER'S

Where Ed's and Co-Ed's Meet  
For Many Good Things to Eat  
Corner Pine and Orange Streets  
3 Blocks from Campus

### MILLER BROS.

### SHOE STORE

SUNBURY, PA.

### George B. Rine FLORIST

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STORE 145-Y

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## Sunday Musical

On Sunday, April 29, at 4:00 o'clock p. m. a program of sacred music was presented in Seibert Chapel by students of the Conservatory of Music. This program took the place of the weekly Vesper service.

The following program was presented:

Organ solo—"In the Cathedral"—Gabriel Piene, Marie Klicik  
Soprano solos—"A Prayer—Reginals Redman; "One Sweetly Solemn Thought"—Ambrose, Jean Strausser  
Clarinet solo—"Laments"—L. Bassi, Lenore Garman  
Contralto solo—"The Twenty-Third Psalm"—Malotte, Harriet Gould  
String Trio—"Berceuse"—A. Ikinisky, Margaret Walter, violin; Virginia Hallock, cello; Janet Rohrbach, piano  
Duet—"I Waited for the Lord"—Mendelssohn, Carmen Beckwith, soprano; Louise Schlick, alto  
Soprano—"Come Unto Him" from the "Messiah"—Handel, Hope Spicer  
Organ solo—"Vision"—Rudolf Bibl, Roy Stahl  
Chorus—"Ave Maria"—Areadelt, The Susquehanna Singers; Mrs. Alice Glaueque, directress

## - SPORTS -

With the coming of spring a college student's spare time can be turned in to golf tournaments and tennis matches. Both the women's and men's athletic directors of S. U. have launched a complete program for the remaining weeks of school. They plan to have golf, soft-ball, tennis, baseball, track, and others. Saturday afternoon from

1 until 5 p. m. has been set aside for an athletic period.

Also if the weather permits the Crusaders intend to continue with their informal baseball games each Wednesday afternoon at 4 p. m.

### ONE YEAR AGO—

Dr. Brush gave \$3000 to S. U. to establish a University Press.

Professor Stevens left us for Dickinson Junior College.

Ruthie Garman was elected president of Theatre Guild.

All of the cadets, except for the chief officers, left on May 11.

Rine Winey was elected editor of the "Susquehanna" for the coming year.

### DEBATORS CLUB GOES

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On the 27th of this month, the Penn State Girls' Debating team traveled from State College to Susquehanna to debate the question of Compulsory Arbitration of Labor Disputes without own Susquehanna team. Ruth Botdorf acted as chairman for the debate between Susquehanna Affirmative and Penn State Negative held in Steele Science 100. Likewise, LaVerne Kohn was chairman for the Penn State Affirmative and Susquehanna Negative debate held in Steele Science 200. The teams were as follows: Penn State: Miss Hay and Miss Cohen, negative; Miss Barch and Miss Winning, affirmative. Susquehanna: Gloria Casparoli and Arthur Gelnett, negative; Naomi Garman and Celso Letzel, affirmative.

Dr. Gilbert and the team both wish to express their thanks to Penn State's Coach Schug. This is the second time

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this year that Susquehanna has debated with a Penn State team. Both times non-decision debates were held.

### DID YOU KNOW?

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300 ----- 7:30 p. m.  
May 16, Wed., Campus Club, 3-5 p. m.

May 16, Wed., Music Senior Dinner

May 17, Thurs., S. C. A. Meeting—Social Room ----- 7 p. m.

May 18, Fri., Recital Class—Chapel 4:15 p. m.

May 18, Fri., S. C. A. Cabinet Meeting at Reverend Heller's, 8-10:30 p. m.

May 21, Mon., D. K. Ernst, Typnotist—Science Hall ----- 7:30 p. m.

May 24, Thurs., Commencement Party sponsored by the Senior Class—Gym ----- 9 p. m. - 1 a. m.

May 25, Fri., Baccalaureate Service

May 26, Sat., Commencement Day

### ALUMNI NEWS

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the plans and operation of the European airborne invasion. He has completed 10,000 flight hours, and has been awarded wings with a star, as a senior pilot.

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Miss Mary Suffel, '33, has resigned her work as Child Welfare Visitor to take up social work with the American Red Cross. She is taking a course, last in two weeks, at the American University, Washington, D. C. Her work will be in connection with the rehabilitation program for wounded soldiers who have returned from the war fronts.

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## 20 TO GRADUATE AT COMMENCEMENT



S. U. 1945 May Court: May Queen, Louise Kresge; Lady-in-Waiting, Jean Kinzer; Jean Geiger, Patricia Snyder, Marian Willard, Mary Moyer, Corinne Kahn, Margaret Walter.

### MEMORIES MAY DAY AND PROM A GREAT SUCCESS

No one who has ever spent a full, happy year at S. U. forgets one moment of that time well passed. Looking over our memories, we find many outstanding ones which are presented here to insure everlasting remembrance.

Our frosh, who are now almost aged Sophomores, brightened our campus for a month with their kingsize hairbows and nametags.

Homecoming Day was complete with football game, chrysanthemums, Sorority Teas and beautiful weather. The Homecoming Dance that evening was the perfect way to end a perfect day.

October 19th found most of the girl students gayly hiking down to the river for the annual Inter-Sorority Rush Hike.

On November 9th, our Chapel resounded with applause of appreciation of Maxine Stellman's lovely voice.

Hallowe'en was complete on campus for a costume party was given by Omega Delta Sigma for the other Sororities.

Everybody was so proud of our victorious Hockey team last November.

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After a lapse of two years Susquehanna resumed its annual May Day festivities.

The events began early with a May Day breakfast given by the Student Christian Association in Horton Dining Hall. At a special table decorated with a miniature May Pole, sat the May Queen and her court. All the members of the court were introduced and a brief biographical sketch given of each one.

After lunch, many people began arriving for the main program which was held at 2 o'clock at Hassinger's Rock Garden. Before the main events began the audience was entertained by the band.

The program started with the grand procession and the crowning of the May Queen, Louise Kresge, by her lady-in-waiting, Jean Kinzer. Among the other attendants were: Mary Moyer, Marian Willard, Jean Geiger, Margaret Walter, Patricia Snyder, and Corinne Kahn. The Queen wore a white dress and carried a spray of white roses; the lady-in-waiting was attired in a blue gown and carried a spray of pink roses; the other attendants, in order of two's wore pink, blue and yellow gowns and

carried sprays of spring flowers. The crown bearer was John Slavoff; the train bearers, Linda Charles and Carol Heller; the flower girl, Anne Wilson.

Following the crowning of the Queen; several dance routines were presented. The Dal dance, Cabin dance, and Highland Fling.

The humor of the program was supplied by the novelty quartette, consisting of Howard Payne, Robert Surplus, Jack Warner, and Franklin Wolfe.

The operetta, "The Ghosts of Hilo," was then performed. The final number on the program was the May Pole Dance, then the Queen and her court retired after having reigned over a colorful and entertaining occasion.

In the evening the annual Junior Prom was held. Ivan Faux and orchestra supplied the music. The gym was beautifully decorated in a spring motif, with a ceiling of glittering stars.

Among those student couples present were: Louise Kresge and Jack Walsh, Robert Surplus and Ruth Cochran, Larry Weller, and Peggy Minier, Jackie Braveman and "Mel" Levinger, Rine Winey and Hope Spicer, Johnny Kocsis and Hilda Markey, Ross Johns and

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### Drs. Hoh and Rivenburg to Speak to Graduating Class

To open the Eighty-seventh Annual Commencement, there will be the Senior Commencement Party which will be held at Phi Mu Delta fraternity house on Thursday evening, May 24, from 9 to 1 o'clock. This party is for everyone, and it is hoped that those who can come will do so as there will be dancing and enjoyment for all.

On Friday, May 25, at 12:30, President Smith is having a luncheon for the Senior Class at the Hotel Edison at which time the 1945 Class Gift will be presented.

At 3:30, there will be a reception given by the president on his lawn for the seniors and their parents who are cordially welcome.

The Academic Procession will start from Selingsgrove Hall at 7:15 P. M. and will proceed to Trinity Lutheran Church where the Baccalaureate Sermon will be held at 7:30. The sermon will be conducted by the Reverend Paul J. Hoh, S.T.M., D.D. Reverend Hoh is the newly elected president of the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Philadelphia. He was graduated from the University of Pennsylvania and later became editor of the United Lutheran Church.

On Saturday morning, May 26, the Academic Procession will again begin at Selingsgrove Hall at 9:45 and proceed to Seibert Hall Chapel where the Commencement exercises will be held. The Address by Dean R. H. Rivenburg, LL.D., of Bucknell University, will be given at 10:00 A. M. Dr. Rivenburg, who was graduated from Bucknell University, is at the present time Dean of Bucknell University. Previously, he was Headmaster and Head of the Mathematics Department at Peddie School for Boys.

To conclude the exercises, the Trustees' Dinner for the Graduating Class will be held in Horton Dining Hall. All parents and invited guests of the Seniors are urged to be present. Admission to the dinner is by ticket only.

Members of the Senior Class are: Mary Lib Basehoar; Frances Blittinger; Ruth Botdorf; Corinne Kahn; John Kocsis; LaVern Kohn; Louise Kresge; Celso Leitze; Gloria Machmer; Mary Moyer; Howard Payne; Harold Snyder; Robert Surplus; Margaret Walter; John Warner; Ira Wasserburg; Miriam Garth; Jean Geiger; Jean Kinzer and Marian Willard.

### SCA HOLDS PICNIC AT SALEM GROVE

On Wednesday, May 18th, about 65 gay, peppy S.C.A.'ers hiked two miles to Salem Grove for a picnic. The dance of two miles didn't seem far at all for these hikers who sang gay, frolicking songs all the way.

Soon after the hikers had reached their destination, Professor Reitz and Betty Smith arrived in their cars with the food! Everyone seemed as though they were half starved, for within a few minutes' all of the delicious sandwiches, potato salad, baked beans, cole slaw, bananas, and sodas had disappeared.

After everyone had devoured their

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## LEST WE FORGET!!

May 24th marks the end of our present school term. We can go home for a summer filled with rest, amusement, and pleasure. Have we ever thought seriously about what a vacation is in time of war? Do the boys from the battle fields of Europe come home for a rest just because their job is over? No, those boys travel to the South Pacific where another job is yet to be finished.

Last Saturday at Independence Hall in Philadelphia, before the Shrine of Liberty, the torn and tattered world famous American Flag which was hoisted atop Mt. Suribachi on Iwo Jima was displayed. It took a lot of blood and human lives to hoist that flag of freedom before our enemy. But regardless of the cost, our Marines did the job.

Have we ever thought just what we could do during these coming summer months? One of us may make a dozen or more rifles. One of us may give blood. One of us may help to build a giant B-29 Super Fortress. These are just a few of the many things we could do to speed V-J Day. Let us not take the attitude that our job is over and that we deserve a vacation. No one should lay down his energy until peace reigns throughout the world.

## HASTA LA VISTA!

"Write a farewell to the seniors," I was told. The phrase seems so stilted and inadequate when we think of the seniors as the friends with whom we have shared a good part of our college life. No, it is not just a "farewell to the seniors," but a reluctant adieu to some of our most cherished friendships.

At college we find that we make associations that are real and lasting. We should be, and we are thankful for having met and known you seniors. Although it is with regret that we say our goodbyes, we wish you all the success possible in your new venture in life. For you life is just beginning. If you keep in mind all that you have learned about good Christian living, in and out side of the classrooms at S. U., you will each find your own place in the world that will make it a better place in which to live.

Wherever you may be in years to come, think back on your happy life at Susquehanna, and remember that all those whom you have left behind will never forget what knowing you has been. Hasta la vista!

—Be safe and sure—use V-mail in corresponding with service men.

## Erntz, Hypnotist Entertains Crowd

Last night, in Steele Science Hall, Mr. D. K. Ernst held the audience spellbound for almost three hours. Delving into the sub-conscious mind, he made several people remember things they thought they had forgotten years ago. He said that a sleeping person is always easier to talk to, and proceeded to put the fellows and girls who were good enough sports to volunteer to be subjects under his will.

Johnny Smith, Gloria Walmer, and Pearl Wagoner were really under the spell of hypnotism. Johnny was earnestly selling mousetraps to the audience at five cents a piece, and demonstrating how they worked by thrusting his fingers into a paper cup, lifting two fingers to release the mouse, and tramping it to death on the floor.

Gloria was a stern school teacher with a class of small children. Art Gelnett was yanked out of his seat and made to face the blackboard and stand in a corner for having been a bad boy. Harriet Gould had to remove her gum, as that, too, was against Miss Walmer's discipline. She had quite a time trying to get Johnny Smith to be quiet while Miss Wagoner sang to the class.

Pearl was sitting in the audience, when she fell asleep after having repeated the words "psycho-analysis hypnotism," which were the words that put her under Mr. Ernst's spell on another occasion. Then she came to the front of the room and sat in a high chair to drink her milk, which she didn't like, but Daddy made her drink it. When she told us how she acted when she was baptized on her first birthday, she cried, just as she had done then when the minister put the water on her head. After having been brought back to her present age, she stood up and sang "Semper Paratus," reading the notes for the song from the back of a Kleenex box.

The three of them caused a riot when they went on a trip. They froze at the north pole, and perished at the south pole so greatly that Gloria had to put her hair on top her head and Johnny took off his coat.

At the end of the fascinating program, Pearl, Gloria and Johnny found themselves standing in front of the audience leading in the singing of "God Bless America," with Johnny waving his "mousetraps," Gloria using as a baton the box of Kleenex, and Pearl wielding a tablet to direct the music.

## CAMPU SOLOGY

### Hi Gals and Guys:

School is nearly over and we really hate to see it go. We've had a good year and we hope you've liked this column. Here we go with the latest.

We'd like to mention here some swell friends we've lost this year, through the Army, etc., Bill Hays, Scotty Small, Yonkers, Jeannie Wortley (who incidentally appeared on campus this weekend), Russ Brown, Red Neidich, and Kay Fox. We wish them all the luck in the world.

### Dance Flashes

OOH! That handsome Marine Lieut. Knobby Walsh who took our Queen to the dance—Lou was the envy of everyone.

### Freaks Around Campus

The fish pond had a strange occupant, Lee Cryder—but not for long—it was a little chilly from reports.

What a racket there was last Friday morning around 6:00 A. M. It appears the KDP Pledges had to deliver 1 quart of river water to their Big Sisters.

Jean Wentzel's lungs must be a little worn out from all that yodeling but that's how she pays her bills—so she says.

President Smith has a new maid in the form of Ann Malkames—is it true that Johnny is a good dishwasher, Ann? Just why was Glandsburg so flustered at being chased by Margie Johns? Ann Gibson roller-skated to class, with Ross' help of course.

Betty Reisch did some oratorical work from Seibert balcony—though not to her liking.

G. C. Roberts was sort of hid under the football helmet and baseball protector—Coach Slag is looking for new athletes, G. G.

Did you hear about the big party Betty Frank is having the week of June 8? It's the opening of her swimming pool and she guarantees that there will be a big splash! Sounds like fun. By the way, Betty, what does "S.K.-ing" mean? And did you see Jack?

Marian Walker is really beaming—she still hasn't gotten over the fact

## Rev. Heller's Reception For SCA Cabinet

On Friday night, May 18, the members of the SCA cabinet were guests of Pastor and Mrs. Heller at their home on West Walnut street.

During the course of the evening, the students were entertained with Chinese checkers, hokum, monopoly, and numerous other games. Later in the evening several parlor games were played. A lunch composed of cookies, pretzels, and punch was served. Those present were: Marie Klick, Jean Geiger, Dorothy Sternat, Marjorie Stapleton, Mary Moyer, Jane Malkames, Jean Kinzer, Marian Willard, Franklin Wolfe, Rine Winey, Hope Spicer, Jean Straussner, Betty Jane Herr, Arthur Gelnett, Dave Bomboy, Dexter Weikel, Miss Unangst, Miss Hein, Audrey Gensel, and Pastor and Mrs. Heller.

## If you have time . . .

At The Stanley  
 Tues., May 22—None But the Lonely Heart

Wed., May 23—Double Exposure  
 Thurs., Fri., May 24—25—Winged Victory

Sat., May 26—Neveda

At The Strand

Tues.—Woman in the Window  
 Wed.—Abroad with Two Yanks  
 Thurs., Fri., Sat.—Thunderhead

—Buy War Bonds and Stamps.

that "Charlie" called her from Chicago the other night.

Phil Mu's going to give the house a good cleaning again before the commencement party. Those parties certainly do come in handy—don't they fellows?

All the kids are packing to leave. Now that the time has come, everybody is dreading the "so-longs."

Marle Stout is heading for her beloved Asbury Park to lie in the sun all summer.

Some of this year's Juniors are leaving for the Shore to work this summer—it seems Marle Barton is going to sell Frozen Custard? or it is Gasparoli? Harriet Gould is going to Lake Chautauqua to study Music. It looks like all will have a good summer.

The WAVES represented by Skip Keller and Fran Ferguson were here—Skip went to the dance with an old S. U'er, Bob Fellows, just back from overseas.

Jackie was radiant with her Mel- and Yonkers was back to escort Lee. Gigger's Mel turned up for the dance too, so everyone was happy!

This is the end kids, and we sure hate to leave but we'll see you next year. Have a good summer!

## Students Visit Colony

On Tuesday, May 8, Dr. Dunkelberger accompanied his sociology and psychology classes to the State Epileptic Colony.

The group had the privilege of visiting many of the various buildings in which patients reside. Perhaps the most interesting part of the whole trip was the visit to the colony hospital in which the students had the privilege of viewing various types of equipment and instruments used, specifically to benefit the epileptic patients. While in one of the hospital laboratories, the group witnessed a brain test performed on a volunteer patient through the use on an electroencephalogram machine.

The group was shown through the reception building, and while there, they had the opportunity to listen to one of the patients play the chapel organ. That afternoon the patients were busily preparing the reception hall for special V-E services, which were to be held that evening. The following evening a dance was to be held for the benefit of the patients. Practically all the social activities of the institution are carried on in this building.

Although higher education is somewhat uncommon in this sort of an institution, many of the patients do develop particular skills along various lines. For instance, many of the smaller children are taught to sew, draw, write or make use of any other talents which they may possess. The smaller boys are taught various crafts.

## PVT. SHEETZ, x'46 RETURNS TO USA

Pvt. Wilfred J. Sheetz, x'46, of Selingsrove, arrived in the States Wednesday, May 16, after being liberated from a German prison camp. He flew to this country by plane and at present is at an undisclosed location in Maine.

In a phone call to his parents Pvt. Sheetz revealed the fact that he had lost 60 lbs. during his imprisonment with the Germans. He also expressed the joy felt by all the prisoners when they were liberated by the American Armies on April 2.

Pvt. Sheetz was a freshman at S. U. when he volunteered for service, and left the campus with the Enlisted Reserve Corps on Feb. 13, 1943.

## OUR FROSH

**VIRGINIA WALKER**, who is 5' 7½" tall, comes from Beavertown. Swimming is her favorite sport. She enjoys reading, especially the Good Housekeeping Magazine and "The Rome." Gregory Peck, Susan Peters, Ingrid Bergman, and Glenn Miller are favorites. "Ginny" is majoring in the Musical Education Course and desires to go to Curtis Institute later. "Laura" and "Tangerine" are her favorite songs; steaks and apple pie her favorite food. Service preferred—Navy Air Corps.

**HARRY WELLIVER**, of Beaver Meadows is 5' 7½ in height. Harry is likewise majoring in Music and expects to continue in that field when he leaves S. U. "Star Dust" is his favorite song; Harry James his favorite orchestra leader; and Judy Garland his favorite actress. In sports he likes baseball, football, and swimming. Model airplanes and studying personalities are his hobbies. Pork chops, "Outdoor Life," and Army Air Corps are also favorites.

**JEAN WENTZEL** is taking the Pre-Nursing Course and expects to enter U. of P. after leaving here. This 5' 2" lass hails from Berwick. Music is her hobby. Jean likes all sports and all branches of the service. Her favorite foods are spaghetti and sauer kraut. Other likes include: "Woman's Home Companion," Reader's Digest, mysteries and romances, Van Johnson, June Allyson, Fred Waring, and Glenn Miller. In songs Jean prefers "My Heart Sings" and "Every Time We Say Goodnight."

**LILLIAN WERNER**, who enjoys roller skating and tennis, is 5' 7" tall. Wilmington, Delaware, claims her. "Lil" prefers the Army Air Corps because of "Phil." Collecting poetry is her hobby. She also likes lemon meringue pie, "Ladies Home Journal," "The Robe," Greer Garson, and Charlie Spivak. "I'll Walk Alone is her favorite song, her dog, "Zipper," her favorite pet. We are sorry to lose "Lil" as she does not expect to come back, but intends to work.

**HELEN ZAHN**, of York, is 5' 4" tall. Olives are her favorite food. She enjoys baseball games, John Hodiak movies, and Sammy Kaye recordings. "Tadmela" and "Robespierre" are her pet stuffed dog and cat. For reading she enjoys "Mademoiselle," books by Richard Halliburton, and "The Razor's Edge." Her favorite songs include "Stardust" and "Daybreak." Hobby—sleeping.

**MARY JANE ZANE**, better known as "Janie" is 5' 5" tall and comes from Sterling. "Janie" is majoring in Nursing and expects to continue in that field after leaving S. U. Baseball is her favorite sport; chocolate cake her favorite food; and "Seventeen" her favorite magazine. In the music field she enjoys "Always," Harry James, and Paul Whiteman. Books on medicine, a dog name "Tuffy," and the Army Air Corps hold a big place in her heart. Collecting postcards is her hobby.

Lutheran Camp at  
Susquehanna Univ.

From June 6th until June 13th, the summer Lutheran Camp will be conducted by the Youth Committee of the Susquehanna Conference of the Central Pennsylvania Senate for all boys and girls who have just completed the 7th, 8th, or 9th grades.

The camp will be under the supervision of Rev. E. E. Korte, of State College and Evelyn Frye, of Mifflintown. The girls will occupy Hassinger and Seibert Halls, while the boys will have Selinsgrove Hall. The number of boys expected is less than that of the girls.

## NEWS ON OUR CAMPUS

## Omega Delta Sigma

On Tuesday evening, May 15, the O.D.S. pledges had their informal initiation.

Thursday afternoon, the seventeen pledges became active members at the formal initiation. After the pledging service, the sorority held its annual senior banquet at the Colonial Tea Room.

The new officers for next year are: President, Jane Malkames; vice president, Marjorie Barton; secretary, Nancy Myers; financial secretary, Adah Wolfe; treasurer, Dorothy Wagner.

## Theta Chi

Last Tuesday evening the Beta Omega chapter of the Theta Chi National Fraternity met for the purpose of electing officers of the coming year. Arthur Gelnett was elected President, David Bomboy is Pledgmaster, and Carl Herman is Guard. It was unanimously agreed upon to retain the three faculty members as officers.

After the election and installation of the new officers, Art Gelnett presented to Jack Warner, retiring president, a Past-president's pin from the fraternity in recognition of his ceaseless work during the past year.

During the meeting Dave Bomboy presented a Theta Chi Pennant to the fraternity from the pledges of the 1944-45 school year.

## Pi Gamma Mu

The annual dinner-meeting of Pi Gamma Mu, National Social Science Fraternity, was held on Monday evening, May 7, at the Colonial Tea Room.

Following a delicious chicken dinner, the regular minutes of the previous meeting and an annual report was given. Immediately following the reports, Jean Geiger, Miriam Garth, Mary Moyer, and Peggy Walters were initiated into the society.

It was decided to postpone the election of the officers of the forthcoming year until the opening meeting next fall.

After the business meeting, the Rev. Raymond Shaheen, pastor of Messiah Lutheran Church in South Williamsport, spoke on the topic, "Ways to Combat Alcoholism." Following the fine talk, a general discussion was held.

Persons attending the event were Dr. G. Morris Smith, Rev. and Mrs. Shaheen, Dr. George Dunkelberger, Dr. J. I. Woodruff, Dr. William Russ, Prof. D. I. Reitz, Prof. E. M. Brungert, Miss Beatrice Herman, Miss Miriam Unangst, Rine Winey, Jr., Celo Lettzel, Corinne Kahn, Norma Jane Hazen, Jean Geiger, Miriam Garth, Mary Moyer, Peggy Walters, and Ruth Botdorf.

## Did You Know?

Thurs., May 24—Commencement Party sponsored by the Senior Class Phi Mu Delta 9 p. m. - 1 a. m.  
Fri., May 25—Baccalaureate Service  
Sat., May 26—Commencement Exercises Summer Camp

Wed., June 20—First six weeks of Summer School begins.

Wed., July 4—Independence Day—Holiday

Tues., July 31—Second six weeks of Summer School begins

Mon., Sept. 3—Labor Day—Holiday

Sat., Sept. 8—Summer School closes

Sat., Sept. 15—Freshmen arrive for Orientation Program

Tues., Sept. 18—Freshman registration

Wed., Sept. 19—Registration of other classes

Thurs., Sept. 20—Matriculation Day Exercises

Thurs., Sept. 20—10:10 a. m.—College exercises open on regular schedule.

## K. D. P. News

On Monday, May 14, and Thursday, May 17, the pledges of K.D.P. underwent their two informal initiations. The formal initiation will take place on Monday, May 21, at five o'clock in the sorority room. At that time, the following pledges will become active members:

Ginny Doss, Dawn Ebert, Dot Ellhardt, Bobby Gaetz, Ann Gibson, Caroline Graybill, Margie Johns, Edy Kemp, Hilda Markey, Jewel MacNamara, G. G. Roberts, Eleanor Steele, Gaynelle Wagner, Gloria Walmer, and Jean Wentzel.

Jean Kelton, a first semester freshman, who is also a pledge, will be taken in in the fall, when she has assumed sophomore standing.

Climaxing the K.D.P. events of the year will be the annual banquet in honor of the seniors, which will be held on Tuesday evening at 6:00 p. m. at the Colonial Tea Room.

## Business Society Picnic

On May 9, 1945, the members of the Business Society donned their hiking clothes for a merry trip to Little Norway, where they held their monthly meeting.

During the business meeting, the Business Society presented a gift to each of the society advisors, Miss Allison, Mr. Reitz and Mr. Graham, who have helped to make the society active during the school year of 1944-45.

After the business meeting was ad-

journed, the crowd enjoyed a delicious picnic lunch and wicker roast, which replenished everyone with enough strength to participate in a snappy softball game. Those who found softball too strenuous a game, danced to records furnished by Little Norway.

Others found enjoyment by making use of the boomerang, swinging and chatting around the fireplace.

## TAU KAPPA ALPHA

On Tuesday, May 15th, at Dr. Dunkelberger's home the members of Tau Kappa Alpha met to receive as a member Celo V. Lettzel. Tau Kappa Alpha is an honorary forensic fraternity founded for the purpose of recognition to those who have attained high honors in the field of public speaking and debating. Lettzel is a senior pre-ministerial student who is a member of Theta Chi and also Pi Gamma Mu. He has been active in debating and public speaking throughout his college career.

Present at the meeting were: Dr. George F. Dunkelberger; Dr. Russell Gilbert; and Mr. Lettzel.

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# - SPORTS -

It is the hope of Coach Amos A. Staggs to retain varsity basketball for next fall and to also have a varsity baseball team next spring. This all depends upon the number of male students that we have on campus next year. It is up to the students of SU to help acquire male students so that sports can be resumed as soon as the war in the Pacific is over.

Seven members of the varsity basketball team of 1944-45 are expected back next season. They are: Harry Culp, Art Gelnett, Ross Johns, Jerry Moore, Captain Bernie Swiencki, Joe Taylor, and Rine Winey. A heavier schedule is being arranged by Coach Staggs.

The tennis and golf tournaments are well under way but the finals are yet to be played. Thus far there has been keen competition among all of the contestants.

## JUNIOR CLASS ELECTION

Elections for Junior Class officers were held by the present Sophomore Class early this month. The officers are as follows:

President: Joseph Taylor  
Vice-President: Lawrence Weller  
Secretary: Elsie Thompson  
Treasurer: Helen Eby.

## MAY DAY AND FROM A GREAT SUCCESS

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Anne Gibson, Jerry Moore and Gertrude Roberts, Jack Larsen and Helen Eby, Charlie Mitchell and LaVerne Kohn, Bernie Swiencki and Elsie Thompson, Alvin Glanzberg and Ruth Ulrich, Dexter Welkel and Gloria Walmer, Roy Stahl and Harriet Gould,

Dave Bomboy and Angela Campo, Joe Taylor and Annie Miller, Arthur Gelnett and Edith Kemp, Jack Warner and Jewel MacNamara, Don Wholsen and Leah Cryder, Franklin Wolfe and Nancy Lou Bickling, Will Hays and Ruth Williams, Aldo Pescarmona and Caroline Graybill. Many other Susquehannites, both alumni and student, had their civilian, soldier, sailor and marine friends as escorts.

Dr. and Mrs. Sheldon, Professor and Mrs. Linebaugh, Mr. and Mrs. Hatz, Coach and Mrs. Staggs, and Dr. and Mrs. Robison were chaperons.

## MEMORIES

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We're sure S.S.T.C. and Lebanon Valley will never forget Susquehanna.

Ongkar Narayan arrived amidst a lot of cold weather.

Our Christmas formal was another successful affair.

Star Course presented Stringfellow Barr who addressed the student body.

Phi Mu Delta opened its doors and entertained many students and Theta Chi had a house party.

Everyone was grieved to learn Dr. Sheldon had suffered an accident.

The Hart House String Quartet, featured by Star Course, was a huge success.

All through the basketball season Susquehanna's Crusaders were a team any school would be proud to claim their own.

Star Course brought us Pitrooy Davis who spoke on the Theatre, and Miss Harder, a missionary, addressed the student body with a talk on Japan.

Our War Bond Drive was very suc-

cessful and now S. U. flies the United States Treasury flag.

Kappa Delta Phi entertained at an April Showers party.

That Susquehanna's students are talented was proved by the performances of "Letters to Lucerne" and "The Ghosts of Hilo," which everyone on campus enjoyed thoroughly.

The Infantry Concert Group not only entertained, but thrilled every person attending the concert.

Louise Kresge presided over May Day and helped make it the huge success it certainly was. The Junior Prom, which ended May Day was again an event to remember.

Everyone has his own special memories that the mention of '44-'45 will evoke in years to come and may they all be pleasant ones.

## SCA HOLDS PICNIC

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food, the boys built a campfire, and a brief devotional service was held. Dave Heim, our S.C.A. presy last year, was back at S. U., and came with us on the picnic. Dave very kindly consented to speak to the group for a few minutes. He reminded us that friendship is a very precious thing—never to be

taken lightly. His message was very inspiring, but then even to talk to Dave and to see how sincere he is is inspiring. The devotional service was closed by a Friendship Circle and the singing of "Abide With Me."

The group then trudged back to S. U. again—a tired, but very happy group!

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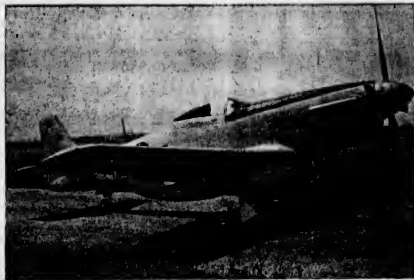
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## The Rev. Crowding Speaks at Convocation



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### Faculty Additions

Miss Hilde Kolpin is S. U.'s new librarian. Miss Kolpin's home is in Fredonia, New York. However, Pennsylvania is not entirely new to her, as she taught at Wyoming Seminary at Kingston, Pennsylvania, before coming to Selingsrove.

Miss Kolpin likes her new position as librarian due to her interest in books. finds them extremely fascinating, and if one should tire of one type, there are many others to turn to.

Miss Lucy Clayton, our new Physical Education teacher, hails from Carlisle, Indiana. A graduate of Hanover College, Hanover, Indiana, Miss Clayton did graduate work at Penn State, and also taught bowling as a graduate assistant. Besides that she assisted in riflery, basketball, tennis, softball, and volley ball, and was faculty advisor of the tennis and bowling clubs.

Miss Clayton has done girls scout work in southern Indiana. For awhile she was connected with the Y. W. C. A. camp situated on the shore of Lake Erie, at Conneaut, Ohio.

Miss Clayton's favorite sports are tennis and swimming. She thinks Susquehanna has a beautiful campus, and likes it particularly because it reminds her of her alma mater.

Miss Amelia Brosius, registered nurse, now on furlough from her work in the India Field for the United Lutheran Church, is the new hostess and house-mother for Hasting Hall. Miss Brosius is from Rebuck, Penna., and received her education at the Baltimore Deaconess Mother House in Baltimore, Md. Since 1939 she has been Superintendent of Visantipuram Sanatorium in Rajahmundry, India.

### DEAN'S LIST

Today the office of the Dean released the Dean's Honor List for the second semester of the 1944-45 school year. Senior members are: Frances Bittinger, Ruth Bortdorf, Jean Geiger, Corinne Kahn, LeVerne Kohn, Celo Letzler, and Margaret Walter. Those Juniors are: Norma Hazen, Virginia Hailcock, and Rine Winney. Sophomores: Jean Kelly and Nancy Myers. Freshman members are: Dawn Ebert, Martha Girard, Harriet Gould, Hilda Markey, Velma Shook, Ruth Ulrich, and Lillian Wernick.

### S. U. Pursuit Ship

After nearly a year and a half of waiting, an Army Air Corps pursuit ship, a P-51, has been named in honor of Susquehanna University by the United States Treasury Department.

The plane was christened "Susquehanna University" in recognition of the goal of \$105,000 that students and faculty had pledged in War Bonds.

The drive, conducted in the spring of 1944, was sponsored by the Business Society with Mrs. Kay Fox Parks as chairman of the drive. Miss Allison and Professor Reitz were the faculty advisors.

### SCA Hears Miss Broscius

You should have been there to hear our first speaker of the year. Where? At the S.C.A. meeting, of course, which was held Thursday evening at seven o'clock in the chapel in Selbert Hall. The attendance proved that S.C.A. will be a success this year.

Miss Amelia Brosius held the interest of all as she took us on a trip over India. First, we were to imagine that we were on an Indian train. After that trip we can well appreciate our modern trains here in the United States. She explained to us the different classes of travel on the train, but warned us that livestock traveled with each class from the best to the worst.

She told us much about the Indian school system which was of extreme interest to us as student, because we readily placed ourselves in an Indian school. She explained that education is so very difficult because each caste must have its own teacher and there are many castes in each community.

After telling us what they eat, we all decided that we would stay in an American hotel for that part of our visit.

We were very much surprised that we could attend a cinema or a really worthwhile drama.

Miss Brosius concluded by telling us that if we wanted a good time we should come to India. Really, we enjoyed our trip and we are waiting for a time that we can see more of India via Miss Brosius.

### Freshman Class Orientated By Faculty and Student Body

The first semester of Susquehanna's 88th College Year opened unofficially Saturday, September 17, 1945, at twelve noon. After lunch in the Dining Hall the freshmen met with the upper class leaders and were conducted by them on a tour of the campus. At ten p. m. a pajama party was held in the Selbert Hall social rooms for all women students on campus.

Sunday afternoon, after the Student Christian Association Vesper Program a camp fire was held on the Ladies' Athletic Field. President Smith welcomed the students at this time and several music students led the singing of many popular and old fashioned songs.

Monday, September 17th, the freshmen were given Placement Tests in Steele Science Hall, in English, French, Spanish, and German. Monday evening, at a gathering in the Chapel the students were entertained with music by members of the Conservatory. President Smith, Miss Marjorie Stapleton, and Arthur Gelnett made addresses of

welcome on behalf of the Faculty, women and men students respectively.

Tuesday evening the students were scheduled to have a picnic supper, but rain changed the plans and the evening meal was held in the Dining Room. After dinner, Miss Anna Sheets showed moving pictures of campus life in Steele Science Hall.

Dean Galt held conferences with the freshmen Wednesday, on the "Academic Problem of the Freshmen." Wednesday afternoon the upperclassmen registered for the new semester. A party was held in the Alumni Gymnasium after supper by the Student Christian Association.

The formal opening of the college year was at the Convocation in the College Chapel Thursday at 9 a. m. The Rev. W. Lynn Crowding, Superintendent of the Sumbury Diocese of the Methodist Church, was the speaker of the morning. After the Convocation classes officially started and the 88th year at Susquehanna had begun.

The Faculty informal reception to the students was held Thursday night. All "big sisters" and "big brothers" brought their freshman charges and introduced them to the faculty members and their wives.

### Frosh View on SU

Mary Shannon—Most beautiful college in Pennsylvania.

Jane Southwick—Healthful resort.

Ruth Buffington—Wonderful!

Maria Steigerwalt—Everyone is friendly and makes you feel at home.

Ane Wright—Super!

Charles Lady—It has everything anyone would want.

Donald Fosselman—It is small and you can easily get acquainted with the people. They can give you personal attention to a great extent; however, I do wish there were more sports. I like life at the frat house.

Wayne Secrist—I like it because it is small, and you have a better chance to know everyone. I also like the athletic activities.

Karl Guss—It is a big change from high school. I like the campus. There are good odds as far as girls are concerned.

Paul Bingaman—If you work, everything is all right. There are many nice girls and fellows here. I think you can have a lot of fun.

Vivian Wolfe—I think it is a small college, but S. U. offers exactly the type of work I want. It has many beautiful buildings and a campus which represents the grandeur of the olden days.

Dave Sterrett—I think it is a swell place. It was hard getting adjusted, but after that I feel like I have been here for two years.

Gabie Speyer—I think everyone is

friendly, and I like it because it is a small school. I don't think the home work is too hard—yet.

William Yancheo—There is too much work, but everybody is friendly.

Walter Beck—No complaints!

Shirley Yarnell—I think it is very nice. It has a friendly atmosphere and beautiful campus.

Carolyn Bousum—I think it is swell. I am glad I came. Everyone is so friendly whether you are a Freshman, Junior, or Senior. I especially like the friendly attitude of the professors. The fellows are nice, but I wish there were more of them.

Fancher Wolfe—I love it here. The girls are wonderful and they all are lovely.

Betty Heller—I think it is everything that I had it cooked up to be. I think I will like it much better the longer I am here.

Larri Briand—I think it is wonderful.

Jean Matthews—So far it is swell, but where are all the fellows?

Lillian Kepner—I think it is wonderful. I don't have any complaints.

### Library News

S. U.'s library this year has been the recipient of a gift which consists of about sixty-five volumes which have recently been published by the Yale University Press. The books were given by a Yale graduate and cover a wide range of subjects. Some of the titles, selected at random, are: This Is Democracy by Childs, The Doctor in History, Haggard; Capitalism in Crisis, Rogers; Dangerous Drugs, Woods; Letters of Queen Victoria; Legends of Hawaii by Colum, and Fanny Keats by Adams. These books are all available for student use.

We also have eight student librarians who will assist Miss Kolpin this year. The upper classmen include Dorothy Starnat, Jean Wheat, Jean Kelly, and Gayle Clark. Jacqueline Gring, Mary Louise Dale, Anne Spire, and Marian Steigerwalt are the freshman assistants.

### Homecoming Postponed

The office of the President announced this week that the annual Homecoming, Parents' Day, and Founders' Day, which was scheduled originally for Saturday, October 13, has been postponed until November 3. The Annual Homecoming Dance which was scheduled for Oct. 3, has also been cancelled until the first Saturday of November.

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## EDITORIALS

### Back Again

Once again the typewriters click and the press roars as we return to our job of publishing the "Susquehanna." This is the fifty-fourth birthday for our paper, for it was back in 1891 that the first edition of the Susquehanna rolled off the press. This is the first peacetime edition since December 7, 1941. Only last May we "closed-shop" for the summer, the terrible menace of war was still upon our nation. But the summer brought us VICTORY and the thought of building a peace. Yes, Thanksgiving came early this year and we have reaped our harvests of blessings.

Over night our nation was thrown into World War II and then again over night we were thrown face to face with reconversion and the problem of building an everlasting and an enduring peace. All of us, in some form or other have had a taste of war and the horrors that come with war. True, we have not all been on Iwo Jima or Normandy but we have come to our senses enough to realize that a world wide disaster must never face our children or their children. We must and can build a lasting peace.

As one G. I. said in a recent letter, "This time we want a real peace." By this he did not mean a peace made around the diplomatic tables, but "a peace which passeth all understanding." True, this is the only solution to our war torn world. We can practice it too, by being willing to forgive and forget. With these thoughts in our minds we must aid our statesmen to establish a peace which all of us so earnestly desire.

### Welcome Fresh

Welcome and hello to those of you whom we have already met and to those of you with whom we are looking forward to becoming acquainted.

All of you grand Frosh certainly have made the opening of S. U.'s 88th year something to be remembered. We are proud to number you as one of us and we hope that you will soon come to think of us as members of the one and only college—Susquehanna. You, who are one of the largest group of Freshman girls that we have ever had, certainly give us great hopes of the future years. Yes, the Frosh boys too, though small in number, we are sure will carry on the traditions of S. U. Although the male population is much smaller in proportion to that of the girls, the numbers will be steadily increasing now that we have come so suddenly under the peace time program.

There will be a small period of adjustment but gradually we shall get back to our old College ways—something that we can all look forward to with pleasure.

Educations is a prize which each one of us who are fortunate enough to receive should cherish. Now that peace is an actuality, the pressure and temptation of high paying war time jobs has greatly decreased; therefore, each one of you should continue on with your education and make the most of it that you can. Always remember that old familiar quotation, "You are the future citizens of the Democracy, on your shoulders rests the responsibility of keeping it the 'greatest country in the world'."

Good luck Freshmen and may your future here be a happy and successful one.

### Students Note:

Event: House Parties

Place: Bond & Key

Phi Mu Delta

Theta Chi

Time: 8 p. m.—11 p. m.

Date: October 13, 1945

## CHATTERBRAIN

When I arrived on campus on Saturday afternoon, September 15, I found so many new faces here that I decided to help you get acquainted with some of them in this column. I'll also add a few quips about the kids back from last year.

On the night of my arrival, there was a Pajama Party for the Frosh gals in the Social Room. Ben Herr and Margie Johns performed in a dance with costumes having no arms. Quite gruesome! Trying to scare the Frosh away, gals?

From Tuesday until Thursday the upperclassmen began to arrive. Beekie came with Gus in town, glad to see him back. She later went to be with him in Williamsport, some wee, eh Beekie?

The first week-end Stapy went home. The cause later showed up on campus. Paul's not bad, not bad at all. Do you blame her?

J. Kocsis is again adorning the campus, adding much to the happiness of one blonde—Hilda Markey. They marked their First Anniversary Saturday night with Hilda having a huge corsage.

For those upperclassmen who know them—Eve Zlock ad Bob "Yonkers" Wohlson met in Hawaii after discovering that the place has two Y. M. C. A.'s.

On Wednesday of our first week of school a party was held in the gym. We found that the fellows were so bashful that Culp had to make up for it by dancing with two sharp chicks, namely Myers and Kain. Nice to see that you are not afraid of the girls, Culp.

What's the big story behind the Coca Cola Co. wanting to speak with C. Mitchell? Could it have anything to do with Charlie's recent visit to Merchantville?

Couples seen at the dance—J. Reltz and Lillian Kepner, hands off fellows, they're old friends; Malzie Stout and a fellow New Jerseyite, Norm Gray.

Best joke of the week—Gasparoli speaking to Charlie Lady—"Oh, is your

### The Enchanted Cottage

The Cottage, which is the second house in faculty row, has been reopened this year as a dormitory for upper-class girls. For the past year it has been vacant and the year before the Cottage had been used as the infirmary for the Army Air Forces which were stationed here at Susquehanna.

The living room is furnished with new maple furniture. New furniture has been ordered for the other rooms but as yet hasn't arrived. The Cottage is equipped with double decker beds which create quite a struggle every night at approximately twelve o'clock. (The donation of a ladder or two would be greatly appreciated.)

Miss Kline, the faculty advisor, and thirteen girls (we are not superstitious) reside at the house. The rest of "The Family" are Carmen Beckwith ("Becky"), house president, Jane Gundrum, Adah Wolfe, Dottie Wagner, Ellie Thompson, Louise Schlick, Mary Lizzio, Naomi Day, Jackie Braveman, Jeanette Kramer, Jean Kelton, Margie Johns, and Anna Sheetz.

The Cottage is an honor house and one of its main features is that there are no bells ringing during the day. There are no quiet hour rules but the girls are on their honor to maintain quiet at the regular hours.

We inaugurated our combustion guest room, kitchen, and laundry by a birthday party for Mary Lizzio. Our all-purpose room may readily be turned into a theatre at a moment's notice when Anna Sheetz gets out her projector and shows us movies.

name really Lady?" Lady—"That's right." Gloria, "Here I try all my life to be a lady and you were born one!" Oh, the pain of it all.

Back into the swing of things by the time of the first week-end. Lots of people found their way to Rolling Green to try the floor: J. Reltz and Kepner, Gable and Arty, Nan Myers dancing with a guy reported to be a West Pointer.

Did anyone happen to see that object J. Malkames calls a car? She even covers it when it rains, poor little one lighted thing! It did get Jane and Ann home Saturday; Annie was home-sick!

I passed H. Eby and V. Doss the other day and overheard them talking about some dream man. The man was Ginnie's brother. "It's the real thing," says Eby.

"The" couple on campus has parted. Ellie Thompson and Swienicki have said Farewell, but was it a fond one? Watch out, gals, there's a wolf on the loose again.

Hi Ho Silver, the Lone Ranger rides again. This time in the form of Ray Mould. It it's not planes it's horses. What a man—Mould!

Another week-end rolls around and saw Jigger and Bobbie Kain, Larry and finds us back at Rolling Green again. Peg, Nan Myers and Shaffer (who some of you may know) and a few others. Harry Culp was dancing with Malkames—but smooth!

Several of the students of last year have been back for a visit. Jean Kinzer and Carolyn Pfahler were two of the first to appear. Mary Moyer arrived Saturday night for a short visit. Lou Kresge (incidentally, Larry's back in the States), Marian Willard and Nancy Lou Bicking came back this week-end. It certainly is good to see them on campus again, even for a short visit.

The paratrooper who arrived on campus Saturday afternoon to see Jean Wheat was George Stow, a former student. We hope to see you among the student body soon, don't you, Jean?

A hurried visit was paid to Harriet Gould by Dale Clapper, soldier from the Gap. Too bad he couldn't have been here longer, Harriet.

The brain is drained, so will say "Goodbye."

### Former Faculty Member Takes Post at Missouri

Dr. Viola DuFrain became Professor of Accounting and Chairman of the Commerce Department at Northwest Missouri State Teachers College, Maryville, Missouri. Dr. DuFrain received her Ph.D. degree from the School of Business, University of Chicago, in December, 1944, while serving as a member of the faculty at that university. She formerly taught at Bloom Township High School of Chicago, Ill., and at Susquehanna University.

While located in Chicago, Dr. DuFrain was elected president of the Chicago Area Business Educators Association.

### Social Calendar

October 2, 8:30 p. m. Faculty Reception at Pine Lawn

October 5, 4:00 p. m. Student Recital Class

October 6, 2:30 p. m. Women's Auxiliary

October 9, 7:00 p. m. Business Society

October 11, 7:00 p. m. S. C. A.

October 13, 8:00-11:30 Fraternity House Parties.

## OUR FROSH

**AUDREY BIRTLEY**—"Little Audrey" is a music student here from Bloomsburg. She likes S. U. and good music and sports are her favorites.

**CONSTANCE BLACK**—"Connie" is very interested in singing although she is studying to become a Medical Secretary. She is one of several students from Millersburg and is fond of basketball.

**IRENE BORTZ**—"Rene" is here from Philadelphia studying to be a Lab. Technician. She likes S. U. very much. Swimming is her favorite sport.

**JOYCE BOTTORFF**—Joyce is a music student who lives in Lewistown. Her main interests are dancing and music.

**CAROLYN BOUSOM**—Carolyn, a Liberal Arts student, is from Glenside. Her favorites are sports of all types, particularly baseball and hockey.

**LORRAINE BRIAND**—A new Business Administration student this year is "Larri" from Great Neck, New York. "Larri" already has won like Pennsylvanian and is interested in basketball.

**ANNA BRINDEL**—Anna is from Lewistown and is a Liberal Arts student, who may major in math. She also enjoys sports.

**RUTH BUFFINGTON**—"Butch" is a Commercial Education student from Valley View. She thinks S. U. is tops and likes everybody she has met here on campus.

**JAY BURNS**—Jay is one of the new male students in the Business Administration Department. He is from Selinsgrove and enjoys sports and dancing.

**BARBARA CHILDRESS**—Barbara is also known as "Butch." She is a music student from York and is very fond of sports.

**DONALD ADAMS**—Don Adams is one of our freshmen from Mifflintown, Pa. He is taking the liberal arts course, likes his girl the best of anything. His pet dislike is changing flat tires.

**GERALDINE ALLEMAN**—Enrolled in the Conservatory Course, "Gerry" hails from Abbotstown, Pa. She likes pianos, skating, and getting up in the morning.

**MIRIAM AVERY**—"Mim" is another liberal arts student, and her home is Kingston, Pa. Music and swimming are her favorites, and, at present, the sophs get in her hair.

**ROSALIND BAILEY**—"Ros" is a day student from Selinsgrove. She is a liberal arts student, and thinks S. U. is strictly on the ball.

**WALTER BECK**—Walter is known to his friends as "Pete." He is taking the Business Administration Course. "Pete" is satisfied with everything except the food.

**RICHARD BECKWITH**—From Oakmont, Pa. Dick is working for his B. A. He likes sports and dislikes girls who smoke.

**RACHEL BERGSTRESSER**—"Bergie" is another day student from Selinsgrove, also working for her B. A. degree. Being interested in all sports, she finds horseback riding and ice skating head the list. The only thing she doesn't like is mushrooms.

**GRACE BILLOW**—Grace comes from McAlisterville and is taking the liberal arts course. She likes to spend her time playing tennis and having a good time.

**PAUL BINGAMAN**—A pre-theological student, Paul came to us from Mifflintown. Paul is enthusiastic about everything he does.

**LOUISE BIRTLEY**—"Weezle" is from Clark's Summit and is majoring in Commercial Education. Her chief interests lie in sports and her pet peeve is having cold water thrown on her.

—Be safe and sure—use V-mail in corresponding with service men.

### Church Reception

On Friday evening, September 28, a party and social gathering was held at Trinity Church. A record crowd attended and S. U. especially, was well represented.

During the course of the evening Rev. Heller gave a few words of welcome, followed by a well planned program which included: a solo by Lenore Garman, accompanied by Betty Miller; a monologue by Jane Clark, of Selinsgrove; and a period of singing by everyone.

Later games were played which were not only amusing, but enabled one another to become better acquainted. After the entertainment refreshments were served.

## Summer Vacations ?

Isn't it great to be back at Susquehanna University? From all reports, it seems as though all of the upperclassmen had a grand summer. Here's what some of the students were doing during the summer months:

**Dottie Sternal** was a telephone operator at Biglerville, Pa.

**Hope Spicer and Ruth Cochrane** worked together at the Alcoholic Control in Newark, New Jersey.

**Eleanor Steele** was employed at the Penbrook Trust Company Bank in Harrisburg.

**Rine Winey** tells me that he was working at Pontius' Meat Market here in Selinsgrove. As Rine put it, he was "lugging the beef around" and balancing books!

**Ruth Williams** did Personnel work in the Walter-Kidde Company at Bloomfield. This plant was a war plant, and after the war, Ruth helped type letters to Walt Disney and other important movie and radio men concerning posters, etc., for the post-war world.

**Gloria Walmer and Caroline Marks** held Civil Service positions in Harrisburg.

**Gayle Clark** was employed in an office of the Sun Oil Company in Philadelphia.

**Dexter Weikel** sized number 4 1/2 children's anklets at the Espy Hosiery Mill at Espy, Pa.

**Jane Malkames, Marge Barton, Gloria Gasparoli, and Bobbie Kain** were waitresses at the Breakers Hotel in Atlantic City, New Jersey. These girls had loads of fun "slinging the hash," so they say!

**Jean Wentzel** worked at the office of the Berwick Furniture Mart in Berwick, Pa.

**Gay Wagoner** worked in a clerical office at Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Maryland, for six weeks this summer.

**G. G. Roberts** worked in a law office in Atlantic Highlands, New Jersey. G. G. tells me that she did everything from "soup to nuts."

**Dave Bomboy** worked again at the Cannery in Bloomsburg. Maybe some of you will be eating some of the corn, peas, and beans that Dave helped to inspect and can!

**Harriet Gould** worked at the Athenaeum Hotel at Lake Chautauqua, New York.

**Emily Rotdorf** worked at a serving counter at the Railroad Station at Harrisburg.

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## Alumni News

Most of the members of the class of 1945 have either obtained positions for this fall or are planning to continue their studies in some specialized field.

**Frances Bittinger** is teaching English at Wellsboro. Mary Moyer has begun her teaching in Milton, and Marian Willard is teaching in the South Lebanon High School. Mary Elizabeth Basehoar and Patricia Snyder, both English teachers, have position at Biglerville and Sunbury respectively. Jean Kinzer is undecided as to the position she will take.

**Ruth Rotdorf** has been awarded a stipend for a year's work toward her master's degree in chemistry by Duke University. She will begin her studies on November 1.

**Corinne Kahn** has been working as a secretary at the Hoffmann-La Roche, Inc., in Nutley, N. J. LeVerne Kohn is teaching English in Camden, N. J. Celso Letzel began his theological training at the Lutheran Theological Seminary in Philadelphia on June 28.

**Harold Snyder** is the boys' secretary at Wilkes-Barre Y.M.C.A. Jean Geiger, on September 24, began working at the U. S. Eastern Regional Research Laboratory at Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia. Ira Wasserburg needs only a few hours to complete his requirements for graduation, but was called by his draft board before he could complete this work at S. U. John Kocsis has been serving as assistant football coach at Northumberland High School.

Those of the class of 1945 who were conservatory students have obtained positions as follows: Louise Kresge at Troy; Jack Warner at Irvington-on-the-Hudson, N. Y.; Margaret Walter at Scotch Plains, N. J.; Robert Surplus at Mineola, N. Y.; Gloria Machamer at Wiconisco; Miriam Garth at Santa Uaula, Calif.; Tony Payne is now supervisor of a band at Carrabelle, Florida.

## 5 Servicemen Return

**WALTER BECK**, whom we know as Pete, comes to us from Irvington, New Jersey, after having spent five months in the Navy at Bainbridge, Maryland. Pete is a freshman and is taking a four year business course. His college address is Bond and Key Fraternity House.

**JOSEPH PEYTON**, a Phi Mu Delta man, returns to S. U. after spending forty months in the Air Corps. Joe was in the Eighth Air Force and piloted (he was a first lieutenant) B-24s and B-17s on thirty missions. Joe was in France on D-Day. He returns to Susquehanna as a Junior.

**DAVID GROSS** was in the service thirty-three months and spent ten of them overseas. Dave piloted a B-25 for the Fifth Air Forces in the Philippines and New Guinea. He is a Junior Business Administration student and a member of Bond and Key. Dave was married on September 14th to Miss Betty Minier, of Sunbury. Mr. and Mrs. Gross will reside in Selinsgrove.

**RUSSELL WILLIAMS**, a Conservatory student, was in the First Army Band for five years before coming to S. U. as a freshman. Russ has played at the Paris Conservatory of Music and before the King and Queen of England. Russ is married to Miss Betty Kerwin and they are living in Sunbury.

**WILLIAM ROTHENBERG**, a Junior here at S. U., was also in the First Army Band and shared experiences with Williams. Bill was in the service for four and a half years. He, too, is married and living in Sunbury. Bill is a Beta Kappa (now Theta Chi) and a Conservatory student.

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# -SPORTS-

The boys' physical education classes will be actively engaged in softball, touch football, soccer, volleyball, golf, tennis, and basketball during the first semester of the current school year. This is the program set up by Coach Amos A. Stagg, Jr., who is entering his 11th year of coaching at Susquehanna University.

The Crusaders started basketball practices last Friday and are well on their way on what is predicted to be a successful season. The team will play its first game on Friday, November 23 against the alumni.

Captain Swiencki was one of the first players to put on a uniform and remarked after the first practice that "things look good for a bigger and better season this year."

There are three lettermen back this year along with fourteen potential players. The lettermen are Bernie Swiencki, Joe Taylor, and Jerry Moore. Other men of last year's team are: Harry Culp, Art Gelnett, Carl Herman and Ross Johns. The team also welcomed back Dave Gross, a GI who played for Susquehanna several years ago. The new players include Dick Beckwith, Al Derr, Norman Gray, Charlie Lady, Ongkar Narayan, Johnny Reitz, Wayne Cecrist, Dave Sterrett, and Russ Williams.

## Women's Sports

If you have passed by the hockey field lately, you have probably noticed Miss Clayton's classes running around the field and practicing the fundamentals of hockey. As far as sports are concerned, this year has a very promising future. Miss Clayton has shown her enthusiasm already by planning for intercollegiate hockey games with Shippensburg, Cedarcrest, Lebanon Valley, and Gettysburg.

After the hockey season is over, if there is time, the girls will undertake soccer. Around the end of the first semester, basketball will be the main girls' sport. A varsity team will also be chosen, and the usual round robin will be held.

Volleyball, dancing, golf, archery, tennis, and badminton will constitute the spring sports season.

A bit of news left over from last year: The tennis tournament was completed after school closed. The singles tournament was won by Bobbie Kain,

who defeated Marjorie Barton, 6-1. Leah Cryder and Bobbie Kain took the doubles tournament by defeating Ruth and Emily Boddorf, 6-0.

## 92 Years of Coaching

Did you know that the Stagg family this year has complete a total of 92 years of coaching football. Coach Amos A. Stagg, Sr., this year is completing his 56th season as a coach. His older son, Amos A. Stagg, Jr., is coaching his 22nd season, while Paul Stagg is coaching for his 14th season.

Coach Stagg, Sr., is now at the College of the Pacific at Stockton, California, with his son Amos, Jr., at Susquehanna University at Selingsgrove, Pennsylvania, and with his son Paul at Wooster Technical Institute at Wooster, Massachusetts.

The men of Susquehanna University are indeed proud to have one of these great men of football as their coach and physical education director.

## SU Profs at Folklore Meeting

On Saturday, Oct. 29, Dr. George F. Dunkelberger and Dr. Russell Gilbert, attended the tenth annual meeting of the Pennsylvania German Folklore Society at Womelsdorf, Penna. This year's meeting was held at Womelsdorf because it was the former home of Conrad Weiser, whose biography by Dr. Arthur D. Graeff has just been issued as the eighth yearbook of the society.

The program of the day was held in the Womelsdorf High School. One hundred and twenty-five persons were present at the meeting. Dr. Dunkelberger is a director of the society.

## AT THE STANLEY

Movie attractions at the Stanley Theatre from October 1st until October 15:

Monday and Tuesday, October 1 and 2, Bell for Adano

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## Phi Mu Delta

The actives of Phi Mu Delta held their first meeting of this semester at the Mu Alpha House.

Preceding this meeting there was a house meeting at which President Johns discussed and explained the rules and regulations of the house.

Activities for this semester were discussed and a hearty welcome was extended to all the new fellows.

At the Fraternity meeting Brother Joe Peyton was elected to the position of Secretary to the Chapter to replace the vacancy left by Brother Roy Stahl. Brother Peyton is a returning G. I., whose home is at Redbank, New Jersey.

Committees were appointed for the House Party to be held the thirteenth and plans were formulated.

## Kappa Delta Phi

After the lapse of the summer months, the KDP room is all in shipshape order again. As a sort of housewarming affair, the girls held a party Friday night, September 28, in the sorority room. Not a dull moment, with new records for entertainment and an over-abundance of food.

Marian Willard spent the week-end on campus. Marian is teaching Commercial subjects and physical education at Lebanon.

Jean Wentling Noble came back to visit us after her recent marriage.

Catherine Fox Park, Kappa Delta Phi member and well known national golfer, reached the finals again in the Chicago tournaments.

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## WHAT S. U. NEEDS MOST ? ?

**Mary Ann Geisinger**—A new conservatory with sound proof practice rooms; and football games.

**Jean Kelly**—The erection of the addition to Steele Science, a swimming pool, and in general a return to a wider range of campus activities and a greater variety of courses.

**Gaynelle Wagoner**—I think S U has most everything it needs, except men.

**Marjorie Barton**—Football games with the old-time college rivalry and initiation of the Frosh boys again.

**Lenore Garman**—Swimming pool and a new conservatory.

**Joan Apple**—A new furnace in G A that doesn't rattle, so that there isn't noise during shorthand and typing class.

**Gayle Clark**—New hockey sticks, a bowling alley, and a water cooler on third floor of Selbert.

**Connie Black**—Showers on every floor; more luxurious game room with a greater variety of games; new dance floor in social room.

**Marie Klick**—New pianos in the "Con." We need men, too.

**Charlotte Smith**—G A should be replaced by a new building. Re-equip all the laboratories.

**Dave Bomboy**—We need more social affairs. Informal social parties would enable us to know each other better. I'd like the faculty to join in.

**James Clark**—A service that will assist married men in finding a place for their families. This service is to be found in other colleges and would

undoubtedly prove a selling point for SU.

**Harry Culp**—A new science building with adequate bright lighting. New up-to-date equipment in the laboratory. Student backing in sports.

**Alvin Glangberg**—More scientific equipment. A record library. A reading room with comfortable chairs in the vacant room found in the library basement. Move the Con. Better meals.

**Joe Taylor**—I think the school could use a swimming pool and a new business administration building. Move the "Con." Get a new football stadium and score board.

**Larry Weller**—I think that we should revert to a pre-war social program and that everything possible should be done to increase male student body in order that such a social program might be made possible.

**Bill Yaneho**—More sports activities. Bigger athletic field and newer equipment.

**John Dietz**—Among other things, S U needs a few new, better-equipped buildings; surely a soda fountain on campus would not be objected to by anyone.

**Ray Mould**—A large male student body, centering around business administration. Liberal restrictions for the girls.

**Dexter Weikel**—Better equipment and improved buildings. A record library. Increase volumes of our college library. More social activities.

## Christian Institute

Here Oct. 22-24

Starting with an S.C.A. Cabinet dinner in Horton Dining Room Monday night Susquehanna will be host to members of the United Lutheran Church representing the Christian Service Institute. The program will open with chapel service Tuesday morning.

The Christian Service Institute is just what the name implies, it is designed to further interest in church and parish work. The purpose of the Institute is to acquaint the students with the full and part time work that is to be done in the church. Social workers, missionaries, ministers, ministers of music, parish secretaries, and deaconesses are a few of the many possibilities open for young people today.

Dr. Robert Gearhart, a student pastor of U. of P., Miss Helene Harter, a parish worker at Zion Lutheran Church in Sunbury, and Dr. Sykes of Lancaster with the assistance of Misses Brosius, Hein and Unangst will be leaders. Dr. Gould Wickey, an executive secretary of the U.L.C.A. Board of Education will also visit our campus.

Arrangements for the Institute to come to S. U. were made by Dr. C. P. Harry, who is also a member of the U.L.C.A. Board of Education.

Group and personal interviews will be held for all interested students. These interviews are going to be held according to the desires of those interested. This is your opportunity to discover in what fields you may serve. Susquehanna is the first campus to have the Christian Service Institute visit.

## Tri House Parties Feature of Weekend

Saturday night, October 13th, the three fraternities, Phi Mu Delta, Theta Chi, and Bond and Key, opened their doors to a number of semi-formally-dressed couples in the first open house of the year.

Each couple was "bid" to a certain house, where they remained until about 9:30, when refreshments were served. After that, the couples began to circulate—visiting each of the other houses.

Phi Mu Delta was decorated in orange and black, with corn stalks and pumpkins adding to the autumnal atmosphere.

Theta Chi struck the patriotic note with red, white and blue trimmings.

Bond and Key was a rainbow of multi-colored crepe paper, and oh yes, a roaring fire in the open fire place.

The couples danced to recorded music and played ping-pong. Two alumni, Jack Warner and Bob Burpius, furnished a musical novelty at Theta Chi.

Besides couples from campus, there were a number of welcomed alumni present, plus soldier and sailor "Imports."

At eleven o'clock, the houses closed their doors, bringing the evening to an end.

## Freshman Meeting

Wednesday, October 3 was the date and the Chapel was the setting for the first meeting this year of the Freshman Class. No definite plans have been made as yet but officers for the year were elected. They are, president, Charles Lady; vice president, Harry Culp; secretary, Jane Southwick, and treasurer, Don Fosselman.

## DR. WATERBURY JOINS FACULTY

Dr. Kenneth Waterbury took up his duties on SU's campus last Monday as assistant professor of psychology and education. Dr. Waterbury comes to us from Wesley Junior College of Dover, Del. Dr. Waterbury is in charge of the practice teaching in the local schools.

Dr. Waterbury received his Bachelor of Science, Master of Education, and Doctor of Education degrees from Penn State.

Dr. and Mrs. Waterbury are living on University Heights.

## SCA Sponsors Relief Drive

On October 4th, Susquehanna University launched a campaign to raise money for various worthy causes. This campaign is being directed by the Student Christian Association. There will be only one big drive this year instead of numerous smaller drives, as there were in previous years.

One of the projects is that of filling approximately twenty-five boxes which are to be sent to Europe. The deadline for mailing these boxes is October 15th, which means that this work will be taken care of first. Numerous articles are being put in several types of boxes, some for babies, some for children and the remainder for grown-ups. Many of these items are small and may be contributed directly; others will have to be purchased. This is where some of the money from the campaign will be used.

Christmas will be celebrated for the first time, this year, by many children of the countries where the war was going on for a long time. It is the purpose of this campaign to make this Christmas a happy one for as many people as possible.

The World Student Service will also be continued this year, for the purpose of helping needy students in all parts of the world secure an education, and thus help build a better world. The drive for the W S S F last year was a very successful one.

One dollar is being solicited from each student. This is a worthy cause that all the students and the faculty members are going to make go over in a big way. If you have not as yet been contacted, someone will visit you in the near future.

## DEAN ANNOUNCES STUDENT RATINGS

The following are the scholastic ratings at Susquehanna for the year 1944-45 as released by the Dean's Office this week:

All college average .....	1.49
Women's average .....	1.52
Men's average .....	1.38
Non-fraternity average, men ..	1.27
Fraternity men average .....	1.58
Bond and Key .....	1.58
Phi Mu Delta .....	1.01
Theta Chi .....	2.06
Non-Sorority average, women ..	1.64
Sorority women average .....	1.61
Kappa Delta Phi .....	1.62
Omega Delta Sigma .....	1.41
Sigma Alpha Iota .....	1.80

## Norman Cordon Feature of Star Course

Norman Cordon, bass-baritone of the Metropolitan Opera Association, will be the first number on this season's University Star Course. He will be at Susquehanna on Tuesday, October 30, at 8:15 in Selbert Chapel.

American music critics, proverbially sparing in their praise, have dropped their reservations in favor of Mr. Cordon. His appearances in opera, concert, and radio programs have evoked the following comments:

**New York Times**: "Throughout the evening Cordon's figure dominated the stage whenever he was on it. He was elegant and sinister. He sang the part well and received a hearty round of applause for his singing of his Serenade, the role's principal aria.

**New York Herald-Tribune**: "Cordon's impersonation was dramatically convincing making Mephistopheles neither too benign nor yet a villain of melodramas; he pursued his nefarious aims with inhuman effectiveness. The role was well treated from a vocal viewpoint, and the description of the golden calf was laudably sung by one of the Metropolitan's most valuable artists."

**New York Sun**: "Cordon's will assuredly be an interpretation to be seen often in the future. For one thing, he uses his height not merely as an imposing factor in itself, but as an element in a characterization of fine pictorial values, of sharp lines and daring gestures. His voice has ample breadth and weight for ringing proclamation, permitting him to display the three-dimensional qualities of his instrument."

**Toronto Evening Telegram**: "The most popular singer of the evening was Norman Cordon, the tall bass-baritone. . . . His voice is true bass-baritone, beautifully broad in the lower reaches."

**Cincinnati Times**: "Hearing Norman Cordon's unusually beautiful voice is always worth the price of admission, no matter how short a phrase he may sing."

## RETURNING VETS

A new man on campus is Captain Joe Willard, of Lewistown, who arrived at S. U. October 8 to enroll in the Business Administration course. A veteran of five years service with the Parachute Engineers, Joe saw action in the European and Mediterranean areas. His terminal leave will end November 21. Captain Willard is currently at Bond and Key.

Another Susquehannian returned from service is Lieut. James R. Clark, of Bloomfield, N. J. "Jim" left S. U. in February of 1943. In the interval of two and one-half years, he served in the Army Air Corps, and completed 31 missions over Germany as a navigator on B-24. Jim is married to a former S. U. student, Mary Jane Rudy, of Harrisburg. He is residing at Bond and Key, where he is treasurer and house manager.



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### DO IT NOW!!

When the United States Army Air Cadets were on Susquehanna's Campus a Post Exchange was run for the men to enable them to purchase Coca-Colas and candies and foods of that type when they didn't have the time to go downtown for refreshments. The Exchange occupied a small room in the basement of G. A. and enjoyed a prosperous business.

The students of Susquehanna are continually complaining of the distance of any type of store from the campus. They are constantly speaking of the merit of having a store on campus. With some effort on the part of the Student Body and much co-operation the idea could become an actuality. If the students would formulate a plan that could be submitted to the Administration some definite steps could be taken. The store would be a non-profit establishment for the students and any proceeds would be turned over to the college.

Volunteers would serve as sales help unless the Administration sees fit to offer scholarships for the work. Even if YOU worked one hour a week you would be saving time by not finding it necessary to walk down town during the day when you feel thirsty or hungry. Think of the classes you won't miss because you feel you must have a coke!!

Let us strive to make a Student Campus Exchange a reality on our campus. Numerous other colleges enjoy this privilege brought about by a little initiative and co-operation on the behalf of the students. Do not discuss this project today and forget about it tomorrow—DO IT NOW.

Cpl. Daniel I. Reitz, Jr., x'47, is based on Tinian, and he had completed one mission over Japan before the Nipponese surrendered.

### GIVE!!!!!!

"Give and it shall be given unto you." —St. Luke v. 38

"Give and it shall be given unto you." Can any one of us deny the duty that is ours to aid the less fortunate peoples of Europe?

We have been fortunate enough to come through the war comparatively unscathed. Yes, we have felt some of the effects of war through the loss of a brother or friend. Not one of us can say, however, that he has suffered through such things as a bombing and seen all the members of his family killed while he stood by helplessly.

Not a day goes by that one cannot pick up a paper and read of some new effects of war. Millions dying, starvation, the ravages of disease, all through the long years of war. None of us will ever forget the horrors that are called to mind by such words as Buchwald, Belsen, and Lidice. Even Hiroshima has come to bring a horror to our minds—a horror of our own creation.

For those who have lost so much, home, family, means of living, can it be asking too much if each one of us should give \$1.00 to the cause of ameliorating their suffering? We are only asked to give this one dollar for the aid of foreign peoples throughout the entire world, as all the service drives have been combined into one.

It shouldn't even be necessary to ask you to give—you should want to! Give and thank God that you are able to give.

### WOMEN SPORTS

For the past week, practices for the honor hockey team have been held on the athletic field at 5 o'clock. The outlook for a good team this year is very promising as many of last year's varsity players have returned once again. They are Gayle Clark, Adah Wolfe, Dottie Wagner, Nancy Myers, Leah Cryder, Bobbie Kain, Ben Herr, Naomi Day, Mary Lizzio, Celina Lehman, Ginnie Doss.

The first game of the year will be held on October 27 on the Lebanon Valley field. Miss Clayton plans on taking 15 players.

Miss Clayton, Selena Lehman, and Ben Herr are going to pick the team some time this week.

## CHATTERBRAIN

Hi Kids, I'm chattering again and with all the latest—

The big thing this week is the House Party weekend—which brought joy to many.

To name a few—Jackie's Mel arrived early to sweep her into "Heaven" for a few hours. Too short, Jackie?

Ruthie Cochran's Bob came to make Ruthie's weekend complete.

Bobbie Gaetz had her "best" friend up for the dance and Stapy and Paul were also members of the "Heaven" club.

Another highlight last week was Hazing—and those Frosh really shone. Such gruesome people—Ruthie Cochran didn't know her own sister Ginnie.

Orchids to the Frosh, who proved they could all take it.

We'd like to know just why Jeannie Strauss goes home nearly every weekend?

It's rumored "Timber" got ill from eating too much meat. Huh?

Wonder why the sudden rage for couples studying in the library? Could it be the nice walk to and fro?

Al Glanzburg has taken a sudden liking to social dancing—could Larri be the cause??

We've also noticed Dave Sterret there knocking his feet out at the fast ones. More power to you guys who will jitterbug? The girls love it!

Hearty welcome to Gale Garraux who was here with the Seniors when they were Frosh. Hope you and Gloria enjoyed yourselves.

Ross Johns took visitor Carol Joyce to House Party.

## I Was Hazed . . .

Anything can happen at S. U. and everything usually does—Freshmen for instance.

The male population of our "fair campus" was heartily disillusioned on Tuesday, October 9, better known as "hazing day." Really just seeing the American college girl at her worst was harder on the fellows than on the girls themselves.

Instead of staying up until midnight the night before to put up hair in curlers, smear on heavy creams and other such rigamarole as humors the vanity of the female. The reverse was true. The Frosh girls deftly rose on Tuesday morning any time between 2:30 a. m. to 6 a. m. to prepare for the coming events of the day. It was a lovely morning if you have a positive imagination.

Nevertheless the Frosh girls amiably wandered out into the cold wet dawn to greet the boys at breakfast. A great increase in loss of appetite was noted on Tuesday. It couldn't have been those rain-streaked polka dot faces.

But at long last the sun broke through, the better for the population of this "fair city" to get a closer view. Any poor misled soul (especially from out of town and not acquainted with the moronic doings of S. U.) would have thought a mass break had been made from the county home.

The offering of candy to Sophs and bowing down on the ground before them were nothing compared to the humiliating that went on after lunch in front of Seibert Hall.

Proposals seemed to be the order for the day with a certain blonde Frosh down on her knees in front of a certain upperclassman who drove up in a limousine, no less. And who was that banana eating creature who nonchalantly refused the proposal of another brunette Freshie.

The second verse of the Alma Mater never sounded the way another blonde Frosh rendered it. We've been told

Other visitors here this weekend were Jack Warner, Pank Bittinger, Dottie Croft and La Verne—a big "hello" to you all.

The Bill Jansons were back on campus for the weekend looking as happy as ever.

Thursday nite and who do we see but Jean Kinzer and Mary Cox, alumnae back for a short visit.

I'm sure the fellows would appreciate not having next year's Frosh class wear lipsticked legs—how about it, fellows?

Have you ever seen such a crowd as gathered in front of Seibert at noon on hazing day. It was really a show and was enjoyed by some more proposals.

Did anyone notice how excited Southwick was with her date with Lady, that she nearly forgot to sign out. Tch! Tch!

When Friday came, the Frosh made a bee line for home—their first glimpse after being here for 6 weeks.

The Cochranes and Southwicks journeyed here instead—it's nice to have parents here, isn't it, gals?

That terrific guy with Beckie was her brother—get in line girls and she may give you a big break.

Leading question of week—just where did the Phi Mu boys get all their pumpkins for the House?

Could the reason for Lee's long face be the fact that Norm was called home unexpectedly on Fri. Come on, Lee, cheer up ole'girl!

Not much more in the way of news, so the "brain" will rest 'til next time. So long—

the only thing she could think of was Anchors Aweigh.

Two other pigtail specimens had to get down on their hands and knees and roll ping-pong balls with their noses, not to mention the other polka-dotted lass who spent the day setting off alarm clocks in the middle of history class. (Why professors get gray.)

And why was a certain dark-haired underclass fellow blushing? Could it have been from hearing a drawn out account of why he's so cute from another gal.

Well anyhow now it's all over and everyone is happy, especially the Freshmen. Now the only thing we have to worry about are those orange hair bows till Thanksgiving!

## ALUMNI: ALBUM-

Captain Theodore J. VanKirk, x'42, was the navigator of the B-29 Superfortress that devastated Hiroshima in the first atomic bomb raid. For participation in this historic raid on August 5, he was chosen from thousands of men. Since then, he has received the promotion to the rank of Major in the Army Air Corps and the Distinguished Flying Cross. He also wears the Air Medal with eleven Oak Leaf Clusters.

Once before, Major VanKirk aided in making aerial history when he participated in a raid on Rotterdam in August of 1942 with the first group of American bombers to hit German occupied territory.

After completing fifty-four missions over Germany and North Africa, Major VanKirk returned to the United States in June, 1943, where he was an Air Force Instructor at Salem Field, Utah; then on June 25, 1945, he departed for the Pacific Theater of War.

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## OUR FROSH

**Stanford Dietz**—Already known by almost all, Stan is a Pre-medical student here from Harrisburg. A fact, quote: "He loves anyone who owns a horse."

**Mary Espenshade**—Studying to be a Medical Secretary, Mary hails from Lancaster county, Pa. Ephrata to be exact. She thinks S. U. is tops, but slightly misses a certain Roy!

**Edna Etzradt**—Representing Scranton, this year is "Edna Mae," taking the Business Administration Course.

**Nancy Everett**—A Liberal Arts student from Bayside, Long Island, Nancy is beginning to wonder about that old chemistry. Don't worry, most of us pull through it!

**Janet Fischer**—Taking the Pre-nursing course, Janet came to us from York, Pa. She finds everyone here very friendly and helpful.

**Virginia Fleisher**—Majoring in Commercial Education, "Virgie," is also from Harrisburg. She is interested in Music, and likes the Navy and dogs.

**Donald Fossiman**—"Don" is one of several students from Millertown, Pa., and is taking the Business Administration Course. Says he: "The only thing I like is the girls!"

**Patricia Fry**—A Liberal Arts student here from Montclair, N. J., "Pat" is quite interested in sports. She misses the football games and especially likes swimming and horseback riding.

**Dorothy Gardner**—"Dot" is a music student and her home is Allentown, Pa. She thinks S. U. is "super" and can hardly wait to ice-skate.

**Mary Ann Gotsinger**—A new student this year from Wildwood, N. J., is Mary Ann, interested in the Music Course. She is finding out for herself what a swell place S. U. is.

**Virginia Cochrane**—Let me introduce "Ginny," Ruth's little sister. "Ginny" is a Liberal Arts student and thinks that S. U. is simply tops. Her one complaint is that she is always hungry. Her home of course is in Bloomfield, N. J. "If we only had a swimming pool!"

**Doris Decker**—You know her as Arlene, a Commercial Education student from Millheim, Penna. She is very fond of Susquehanna, but would be very much happier if she had less work. We'll see what can be done about it, Arlene.

**Lena Crissinger**—Lena is a Music student from Rebeck, Penna. She has proven herself to be quite a hockey player. She likes school, "But it sure will be good to get home."

**Harry Culp**—You are all very acquainted with Harry by this time, but just as a refresher course, he is a Pre-Veterinarian student from Sunbury. He's really something on a basketball court, and can he dance.

**Joseph Dall Vecchia**—"Jigger" to you is another freshman from way up there in Mariboro, N. Y. He hopes to become a business man. "Susquehanna has a beautiful campus, but is rather quiet."

**Aloysius Derr**—"Al" is a Music student from Ashland, Penna. He's quite enthusiastic about Susquehanna, but I saw him hurrying to catch a bus bound for Ashland, Saturday morning.

### Kappa Delta Phi

Monday afternoon, October 8, at 4:00, the weekly meeting of Kappa Delta Phi was held in the Owl Room.

After the evening meal on Wednesday, October 10, the members met in Selbert parlors. From there they went on a theater party.

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## SOCIAL SLANTS

### Theta Chi

The Beta Omega chapter of Theta Chi fraternity held its first official meeting on Monday, October 8, at the home of Prof. D. I. Reitz on N. Independence St. At this meeting William Rothenberg, a discharged veteran from Sunbury, was taken in as an active member and elected guard of the chapter. Mr. Rothenberg was a member of Beta Kappa fraternity before he left for the armed service in 1940.

Plans were discussed for the coming year and also for the return of the Theta Chi members who are at present serving in either the army or navy. Arthur Gelnett, president, was in charge of the meeting. Dave Bomboy reported on the improvements of the chapter house. Present at the meeting were: Student members—Dave Bomboy, Carl Herman, William Rothenberg, and Arthur Gelnett; faculty members: Dr. George Dunkelberger, Dr. Russell Gilbert, and Prof. D. Irvin Reitz.

### W. A. A.

With the freshman girls as guests, the Women's Athletic Association held its first meeting in the Social Room on Thursday, October 4th. After the usual order of business, President Selena Lehman called upon Gayle Clark, N. Myers, and Marjorie Barton to explain the point system for membership in W. A. A., and also the awards given after an accumulation of the required number of points. It was announced that meetings will be held the first Thursday of every month.

Miss Clayton, our new physical education teacher and advisor of the organization, addressed the girls and announced that plans were being made for Varsity Hockey Games with other schools again this year. The first game will be played at Lebanon Valley on October 27. We are hoping to have as successful a season as we did last year.

After adjournment of the meeting, the Refreshment Committee, headed by Ruthie Williams and Gayle Clark, served to the members and guests.

### Business Society

The first meeting of the Business Society was held in the Selbert Social Room, Tuesday, October 9, at 7:00 p. m.

A word of welcome was extended to new members. The membership exceeds that of the past few years and the society is looking forward to a successful year.

The Business Society will undertake to officially open the new war bond drive scheduled for October 29. A representative from each class shall seek the full cooperation from his members.

Miss Allison and Professor Reitz are the co-chairmen of the drive. Full details will be announced at an early date.

The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served.

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### Sigma Alpha Iota

The first formal meeting of Sigma Alpha Iota was held Thursday evening in the sorority room. Plans were formulated for the annual New York trip, which the sorority makes at semester time.

Monday evening the entire group of S.A.I. sisters enjoyed a grand picnic down by the river. The committee in charge of refreshments was Hope Spicer, chairman; Harriet Gould and Elro Hacker.

Recently, Prosta Arseniu and Elro Hacker were initiated into the National Fraternity.

### Alpha Psi Omega

Alpha Psi Omega has organized for the year at a meeting held October third, in Selbert Hall Parlors. The first Tuesday in every month has been selected as a regular meeting time and a fine will be required for those who do not attend.

A Reading Committee to select the play for first semester presentation was appointed. The members of this committee are: Ruth Cochrane, chairman, Jean Strausser, Gloria Gasparoli, and Helen Eby. A final decision will be made October 16, at a special meeting when the Reading Committee will give its report.

### O. D. S. News

On the evening of Oct. 7th Omega Delta Sigma held an informal party in the sorority room. This was the first party this year of a series of monthly parties on Sunday evenings.

One of the founders of our sorority was visiting Susquehanna on Oct. 6th. Mrs. Harmon was one of the original six members of Omega Delta Sigma.

—Be safe and sure—use V-mail in corresponding with service men.

## Day Students

A most enjoyable weiner roast was held by the day students of Susquehanna on Friday evening, October 12, in the Lutheran Church Grove at Salem. After hiking the two miles to the grove a hearty appetite was satisfied by the traditional "buns and dognuts," "cokes," potato chips, and doughnuts.

Following the refreshments a number of games were enjoyed around the fire, and to conclude the evening's enjoyment a songfest was held in which a number of the high school alma maters were sung by those persons present who represented their school.

Plans were made to hold similar outings for the day students throughout the year. Much credit for the successful event goes to Lenore Garman and Norma Hazen who were the committee for the roast.

Among those attending were Dawn Ebert, Marjorie Mengle, Norma Hazen, Marlanna Hazen, Lenora Garman, Shirley Schroyer, Jane Troutman, Selena Lehman, Rachael Bergstresser, Pearl Wagenseller, Rose Bailey, Helen Lepley, Virginia Walker, Arla Bliger, Jean Derr, Dot Shaffer, Don Adams, Rine Winey, and Carl Herman.

### Called to Navy

John R. Reitz, son of Prof. D. Irvin Reitz, and Jay H. Burns, both of Selingrove, were called to active duty with the U. S. Navy last week. Both are members of the Freshman class and were active in the sports program at S.U. Seamen Reitz and Burns had enlisted in the USNR last June. They are now stationed at Camp Peary, Va.

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**HIGHLIGHTS-**

October 17, Wed. Campus Club 3-5, Seibert parlors

October 18, Thurs. Inter-Sorority Hike 5, Salem Grove

October 22, Mon. SCA Cabinet Dinner with guests of Christian Service Institute

October 23, Tues. Sorority meetings, 7:30 P. M.  
Meetings of the Christian Service Institute

October 24, Wed. Various meetings of the Christian Service Institute

October 25, Thurs. SCA meeting, 7:00 P. M., Chapel

October 27, Sat. Hockey, S. U. vs. Lebanon Valley  
Hallowe'en Dance, 8:00-10:30 P. M., Gym.

October 30, Tues. Social committee Formal Dinner, 6:00 P. M.  
Star Course, 8:15 P. M., Norman Cordon.

**Inter-Sorority Council**

The Inter-Sorority Council held its first meeting of the year last Tuesday.

The girls discussed plans for the annual Inter-Sorority Hike which is to be held on Thursday, October 18. The Council has invited all the women students. Because of this large number, it was decided to have the roast at Salem Grove.

The Homecoming Dance, which is to be sponsored by the Inter-Sorority, Inter-Fraternity Councils, was also discussed. The president reported that Ivan Faux and his orchestra had been secured for the dance. Committees were appointed and the meeting was adjourned.

**President Smith Guest At Wilson College**

Dr. G. Morris Smith was the guest of Wilson College, Chambersburg, this weekend at the 75th anniversary convocation services held Saturday, October 13. Wilson College is one of the oldest colleges in the nation for women. It was founded on Oct. 12, 1870. Other speakers at the exercises were Dr. William Lampe, of St. Louis, who is moderator of the Presbyterian Church in the United States, and Lieut. Comdr. Margaret C. Disert, USNR, dean-on-leave, who led the forum, "Constitution and Peace."

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**SCA Plans  
Hallowe'en Party**

There will be a Hallowe'en Party given by the S.C.A. on October 27 at 8 P. M. in the gym. Everyone must come masked and dressed in a costume.

Those who are non-members of the S.C.A. must pay an admission fee. Tickets for the party may be secured from Hope Spicer in Seibert Hall or Harriet Gould in Hassinger.

The various committees include: Food, Jane Malkames, Dorothy Sternat; property, Arthur Gelnett, Betty Jane Herr; decorating, Eleanor Steele, Jerry Moore; entertainment, Dave Bomboy, Marie Klick, Charles Lady; demolishing, Dexter Welkel, Jeanne Strauss; tickets, Hope Spicer, and publicity, Rine Winney.

Remember to come masked!

**Board Elects  
New Members**

The board of directors of Susquehanna elected four new members to their group at a meeting held on the campus on Monday, October 8. The new members are as follows: John A. Apple, Sunbury; John C. Peters, Williamsport; Dan R. Erdman, also of Sunbury; and W. Alfred Streamer, Philadelphia. At this their first meeting of the 45-46 term, the directors heard reports of the work of the year from President G. Morris Smith.

Plans were also discussed for the coming year and provisions were made to take care of the veterans as they return to the campus. A financial report was given which showed that there is approximately \$50,000 on hand toward the erection of a new building for the University.

Those present at the meeting were: Dan Smith, Jr., and Dr. Harry Miller, of Williamsport; Dr. William Rearick, Mifflinburg; Claude Aikens and Dr. John Harkins, of State College; Rev. Blair Harman, Duncansville; Hon. Charles Steele, Northumberland; Samuel Johnson, Bloomsburg; Frank Eyer and Marion S. Schoch, Selinsgrove; J. D. Bogar, Harrisburg; J. P. Carpenter, Esq., Sunbury; Charles Nicely, Watertown, and Dr. G. Morris Smith.

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Susquehanna University will observe a triple celebration on Saturday, November 3, with the annual Homecoming Day, Founders Day, and Parents Day. Plans are being formulated by the administration for the biggest Homecoming event since the start of the war. Many of SU's alumni and former students who are now in the armed services are expected to be on campus for this occasion. Many will be here for the first time in five years. The regular exercises will be held in the college chapel on Saturday morning and also the usual alumni dinner in the Horton dining room at noon. In the afternoon, the visitors will have the opportunity of witnessing a football game between Selinsgrove High School and Northumberland High on the University Athletic field. Also several group meetings, including fraternity and sorority meetings are being arranged which will follow the football game. The festivities will be climaxed by the annual inter-fraternity-sorority formal dance in the Alumni Gymnasium at 8:30 p. m.

**Class Elects**

At a meeting held October 5, the following officers were elected by the senior class.

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NORMAN CORDON

Norman Cordon, bass-baritone of the Metropolitan Opera Company, will be the first number on this year's Star Course series and will present a concert this evening at 8:15 in Seibert Chapel. Mr. Sanford Schlusell will accompany Mr. Cordon at the piano. The following program will be presented:

- I.  
Dand sei dir, Herr ..... Beethoven  
Love Me or Not ..... Secchi  
Westron Wynde .. arr. by Frank St. Leger  
No piu andrai, from "Le Nozze di Figaro" .. Mozart
- II.  
Song of the Viking Guest, from "Sadko" .. Rimsky-Korsakoff  
Pilgrim's Song ..... Tschakowsky  
Intermission
- III.  
Nocturne, F sharp major ..... Chopin  
Ritual Fire Dance ..... de Falla  
Mr. Schlusell
- IV.  
Serenade, Den Vient alla finestra, from "Don Giovanni" .. Mozart  
Serenade ..... Schubert  
Danse Macabre ..... Saint-Saens
- V.  
Negro Spirituals  
arr. by H. T. Burieligh  
I want'a be ready  
By and By  
Couldn't hear nobody pray  
Stand still Jordan  
Didn't my Lord deliver Daniel

Miss Clayton to Wed  
Sunday, November 4

On Sunday, November 4, 1945, Miss Lucy Clayton, our physical education instructor, will be married to Mr. John Doswell. They are planning to be married in the Presbyterian church at New Kensington, Pennsylvania.

Miss Jean Clayton, the physical education instructor at the University of Akron, Ohio, will be the maid-of-honor.

Miss Clayton and her intended husband are going to reside at Mt. Wayne, Indiana.

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Address S. U. Students On  
Christian Service Work

On October 22, Susquehanna University became the first campus to be visited by the members of the United Lutheran Church representing the Christian Service Institute. The S. C. A. Cabinet members were the hosts at the dinner in Horton Dining Room in their honor.

The following morning the program officially opened with the chapel service and the introduction of the members. The leaders were Dr. Robert Gearhart, pastor for Lutheran Students at the University of Pennsylvania; Miss Helen Harter, who at present is a parish worker at Zion Lutheran Church in Sunbury. Previous to her present position she had done deputation work for the Board of Foreign Missions and only recently returned from Japan where she was a missionary from 1927 to 1939; and Dr. Gould Wickey, executive secretary of the United Lutheran Board of Education, also general secretary of the Church Boards of Education. Assisting the leaders were Misses Unangst, Helm, and Brosious.

Arrangements for the Institute to come to S. U. were under the direction of Dr. C. P. Harry, member of the U. L. C. A. Board of Education.

The purpose of the Institute was to emphasize the need of volunteer service to the church no matter in what profession or vocation the individual may be engaged. All Christians should be conscious of the contribution which they can make toward the building of the kingdom in their particular sphere of life. The students should develop

the talents they have and use them in the right direction."

Among the various phases of work one might choose to specialize in are volunteer workers, deaconesses, homemakers, doctors, and nurses, agriculturists, parish workers, scientists, and pastors.

"It is really not so important to know WHAT you are going to be, as to know WHO you are going to be. It is not so important to know WHERE you are going to work, as to know HOW you are going to work. If you really wish to be YOU—a personality winsome and friendly and Christian—then any position in which you are honorably placed will be of value to others and a satisfaction to you." Lutheran agencies of all kinds have become increasingly desirous of providing skilled workers to meet the problems of the people coming to their doors.

Group and personal interviews were held for all students interested in the various phases of Christian leadership. These informal interviews gave the individual the opportunity of discovering the way in which he might serve and the importance of such service.

Upon being interviewed, Dr. Gearhart commented on the fine reception given the leaders while visiting the campus and the extreme friendliness of the entire college. "This is like one happy family and I wish the students were all mine so that I could put my arms around everyone and love them all."

## HIGHLIGHTS-

- Oct. 30 Social committee meeting—5 P. M.  
Formal dinner—6 P. M.  
Star Course, Norman Cordon—8:15  
Nov. 1 W. A. A.—5 P. M.  
Nov. 2 Basketball game, Alumni vs. S. U. at S. U.—8 P. M.  
Nov. 3 Football game, Upperclassmen vs. Fresh—9:30  
Convocation—11:00.  
High school football game, Selingrove vs. Northumberland—2:30  
Tea for parents and alumni—3:30  
Homecoming Dance—8:30  
Nov. 5 Sorority Rush Tea—4:00-5:30  
S. A. Cabinet meeting—5:00  
Pi Gamma Mu—7:00  
Nov. 6 Alpha Psi Omega—5:00  
Theater Guild—7:30  
KDP Room Party—9:00-10:30  
BAI Room Party—9:00-10:30  
Nov. 7 ODS Room Party—9:00-10:30  
SAI Main Party—8:00-10:30  
Nov. 8 SCA in Steele Science Hall—8:00  
KDP Main Party—8:00-10:30  
Nov. 9 Student Recital—4:15  
ODS Main Party—8:00-10:30  
Nov. 10 Auxiliary—2:30  
Beginning quiet period—11:10  
Nov. 12 Bidding Day  
Student council meeting—5:00  
House meeting—10:00  
Nov. 13—Business Society—7:00.

Students Celebrate  
Hallowe'en Saturday

Had you been in the vicinity of the gym last Saturday night, you might have heard such things as weird screams, cries, fiendish laughter, thuds and many other odd sounds. Of course, if you had been inside the gym, you would have known the reason for all of those sounds. The Student Christian Association was having a Hallowe'en party complete with a house of horrors, bobbing for apples, refreshments, decorations, dancing and prizes.

The prize for the prettiest was taken by "Larry" Briand who came as an oriental girl. The most original went to two people: Rine Winey, who came as our own "Susquehanna Kid," and "Bobbie" Gaetz, who came as a Jack-in-the-box. The others who took prizes were Pastor Heller who was chosen the funniest, and Margie Stapleton and Dave Sterrett who were voted the funniest couple. Some of the other costumes worn by the students and faculty were: ghost, pirate, clown, "good night" and "sleep tight," scarecrow, farmers, old-fashioned lady, negro mammy and pappy, and many others.

The gym was decorated with orange and black crepe paper, corn stalks, (Concluded on Page 3)

This year plans have been formulated to make our annual Homecoming as much like that of former years as possible.

The dorms and fraternity houses are going to be decorated and they will be judged on Friday night between 5 and 6 by three members of the faculty. On campus, the committees are under the supervision of: Jean Wheat—Selbert, Emily Botdorf—Hassinger, Carmen Beckwith—Cottage. All the male students are helping also. At 8:00 P. M., on that same evening there will be a basketball game between the Alumni and the present Susquehanna team.

On Saturday morning at 9:30, the freshmen boys will play the upperclassmen in a football game. The freshmen cheerleaders for this game will be: Muriel Phillips, Elaine Williams, Jane Southwick, Marion Robson, and Mary Ann Gelsingner.

At 11:00 in the college chapel, there will be a convocation addressed by Mr. Robert Wilson, 31, who is principal of the high school at Weymouth, Pa.

There will be a football game on the Crusader Field at 2:30. Northumberland will play the local Selingrove school team.

The Student Council, under the chairmanship of Helen Eby, is holding a tea in Seibert Parlors between 3:30 and 4:30 for all parents and alumni.

From 4:00 on, the different sororities and fraternities are holding open house. All the sororities are planning to serve buffet luncheons, after which alumni meetings will be held in the various sorority rooms. In the case of S.A.I., the Alumni meeting is to be held at 2:30. The various fraternities are planning to hold alumni meetings.

From 8:30 until midnight, the Homecoming dance will be held in the gym. Music will be furnished by Ivan Faux. The price of tickets is \$3.00 per couple. The various committees for this dance are: decorations—Elise Thompson, property—Nancy Myers, refreshments—Marjorie Stapleton, lights—Rine Winey, demolishing—Jerry Moore, publicity—Marie Klick.

Victory Bond Drive for  
Army, Navy Hospitals

One hundred per cent participation of each member of the student body and faculty is the goal for the Victory Bond drive at Susquehanna which got under way Monday morning in chapel. The national drive started Sunday evening in a formal broadcast by President Truman.

"If each person buys at least something once a month, the committee's goal will be reached by November 1st," announced Miss Allison, advisor of the committee. "If this goal is reached, Susquehanna will fly the Minute Man Flag."

The aim of this drive is to equip servicemen and servicewomen with needed hospital care. In order to do this, \$3,000 is needed for each man.

A special committee for the soliciting of Victory Bonds and Stamps has been set up under the chairmanship of Gloria Walmer and Louise Kretsinger. The stamps being sold are in charge of Joe Taylor.



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## EDITORIALS

### Welcome Alumni

Homecoming this year will be a homecoming in the real sense of the meaning. For this will be the first peace time celebration since five years ago. Hundreds of Susquehanna grads and former students will be returning to the alma mater from the different war zones and the far corners of the world.

Our welcome to these Alumni and Veterans is genuine and heartfelt for their return signifies the rehabilitation to a peaceful standard once again. We sincerely hope that they will find the campus and the atmosphere filled with the traditional Susquehanna spirit.

To the frosh and upperclassmen, we earnestly hope that you will remain on the campus and do all in your power to make these "homecomers" feel the hearty welcome spirit, which they so gallantly deserve. It is our desire that November 3, 1945 may be written upon the pages of Susquehanna's history as the biggest and best homecoming ever celebrated. We hope that all, faculty, students, parents, alumni, and friends, will do their part in making this festivity a success.

### Thanks ! ! !

The student body and the faculty of Susquehanna always respond to the plea of the unfortunate wholeheartedly whether the plea be for clothing, money, or even one's own blood. The fine results of all our campaigns reveals the true character of our University.

Last week the Student Christian Association opened the combination World Students' Service Fund and Benevolent Drive. To date they have received \$205. The response to this drive has been indeed worthy of the great cause.

To the students and faculty of Sus-

quehanna goes the undying gratitude of hundreds of people who shall forever remain nameless to us. They shall never forget, nor shall you ever regret your great generosity, which will bring about that great ideal—Peace on Earth.

### The Chain

We at Susquehanna, are like all the nations in the world today—dependent on one another. Just as a chain has many links, every organization or institution is made up of just such links. The factor that binds them all together is the spirit of cooperation. Now that we are getting back to normalcy on campus we need to remember our positions in the chain. Every task we undertake is important, not only to ourselves, but to everyone else who is a part of this integrated mass. It would be well for all of us to keep in mind just what link we are in the chain and the importance of our position, no matter how insignificant it may seem at the time. All goes well if all do well. It is true of everything we do and especially true on a small campus where responsibility is spread more evenly among us all. You are a part of a living breathing group—if you fail, the group fails.

### Library News

How often you wonder just how you will spend an evening or a week-end. I am certain that you would be able to find an answer to that problem if you would only pay a visit to your library. It was placed on the campus for your aid and enjoyment, and so why not visit it more often, search its shelves and discover for yourself just what a store of enjoyment it affords. You will be able to find a book to suit every occasion and mood. Miss Kolpin has announced that she has ordered a new lot of fiction books. These should be ready for use in at least two weeks, and so why not be on hand when they arrive? We would also appreciate knowing what type of book you prefer so that we can build up the library to suit you. How about it then, will we see you in the library?

## CHATTERBRAIN

Here we are again, back with the latest about everyone. This was quite a busy week with hockey games, basketball games, hikes and parties.

On October 18, all the girls took a hike to Saltm Grove for the Inter-Sorority picnic. We had loads of fun eating and singing. The "highlight" of the night was that gorgeous harvest moon, did you happen to notice?

Back from the hike and off to the basketball game, there was a rumor about that there was a Lady on the floor. If there was, Lady certainly was a good player. Here's luck to the basketball team.

This past week has gone by quickly but left a few little items worthy of mention. For example, rain, snow, or Junior wolves—nothing will stop the Practice Teachers, how about it, kids? They also meet the kinds on their (teachers) night off. It's a hard life, gals!

Did anyone see Dick Beckwith on the roof of Theta Chi—the excuse was bedroom slippers? Hmmmm? What goes on?

Seen at Social Dancing: An unfortunate accident with a lamp that was later atoned for; Swienicki is playing the field but definitely: Ann Wright, Lillian Kepner, Larri Brand, Marie Phillips, and scads of others. Place your bets here, it's anybody's guess; a new couple at the dancing and also at Reich's—Marge Barton and Sterrett! Bernie should listen to this warning with both ears—one of his basketball buddies has his eye on one of Bernie's harem—could the couple in question be Moore and Phillips? Could be? Let's watch it, kids, it may be something!

Ross had again switched his colors—this time G. G. Roberts—he has good taste anyway.

It seems that our boy Winey has been doing things on the sly again—this time coming out with one of the Freshman lasses—namely Pat Fry. This also bears watching.

If anybody has particularly noticed the groups of four dotting the campus—the cause is the "bridge fad." It's a very interesting game from the looks of things—anyway take a look at who's playing—interesting? Yes, mam!

Some of the guys blossomed out in grand Frosh tradition last week with the conventional "dink." Let me say, they look sharp. But you turn around and there goes one on the head of a Frosh girls—so you chase it down hop-

ing for some new gossip but no soap—the bought it for herself. Such is life!

The Lib is still getting a big bid for spending evenings in search of learning and pleasure. Latest couple of the Lib—Maizie Stout and Ray Mould.

This gets more interesting as things go on—Jeanie Strausser says she goes home every weekend for her Mother's cooking. Well, maybe she does, who knows? (If anyone does, drop it to me—I'd like to know too.)

Dot Reichley's man—Warren—came to make her happy this week. From what I hear he's quite the boy! How about it, Dot?

Here's to the Varsity Hockey team, we hear the score was against you but to me, it sounds like a moral victory. Better luck, next time. Most of the members of the team attended the Haloween Party, and excluding Gayle Clark and Ellie Steele, they all looked pretty good. They tell me that most of Clark's bruises were false. Cute idea, kids.

The Party was a big success. I'm putting my bid in for more Saturday night get-togethers in the gym. Congrats to Lady for a swell job as M. C. By the way, did you see the balloon dancing—first time any game had three winners.

Friday, things began happening on campus. Several guys who left S. U. for the service, Ira Wasserburg (who was here last year), and Al Kaplus and Skip Kline (who were here as Frosh with our Seniors). They serenaded Seibert about 11:30 Friday night—sang for the Senior girls. If that's what S. U. was like before the war, let's have it back again. Hint for the gals—Mr. Kaplus will be back in January.

Eby was off to see Gienn gain this weekend by way of Norm Gray's taxi. Others who went along, Helthoff, Thompson (who also caused Norm \$7.50 last Thursday), and Shook.

Why has Sara Lee Smith been going around in a whirl of happiness—receiving telegrams and telephone calls—the big event is here—JULIE is back from Overseas. Helthoff also got good news—Russ was discharged Sunday.

Some familiar faces at the Hockey game—Naomi Day's parents, Carol Schreiner, Marian Willard and Doty Elhardt. Their support was really appreciated by the whole team.

Guess this is all for now—keep pitching and I'll keep working on a bigger and better column.

### Homecoming Dance

The annual Homecoming Dance will be held on November 3rd, at 8:30 P. M. in the gym. The committees for this event are Decorations, Elsie Thompson, Roswell Johns, Jackie Braveman, Ruth Williams, Bobbie Kain, Herbert Dankman, David Bomboy, Peggy Minier; property, Nancy Myers, Al Glanzberg, Marjorie Barton; refreshments, Margie Stapleton, Mary Ellen Wood, Charlotte Smith; lights, Rine Winey, Helen Eby, Gloria Gasparoli, Joe Taylor; demolishing, Jerry Moore, Jean Wheat, Hilda Markey, Harry Welliver, Gertrude Roberts, Harriet Gould, Harry Culp; publicity, Marie Klieck, Ann Gibson, Leah Cryder, Ann Malkames, Hope Spior.

The committees have obtained Ivan Faux' band. To cover the expanse of this an admission charge of \$3.00 per couple will be made.

To Harry Culp and his family we express our sincerest sympathy in their bereavement.

The Student Body.

### Fraternities Decorate For Alumni's Return

In preparation for Homecoming Day, Saturday, November 3, the various fraternity houses have been planning their decorations.

The Phi Mu Delta fraternity has decided to use a patriotic scheme. Across the front of the house will be placed a large "Welcome Alumni" sign. The letters of the sign will be formed by red, white, and blue lights. The hedges will be illuminated with a similar red, white, and blue sign.

In front of the house a plot of ground will be used in honor of the men from Susquehanna University who have given their lives in the Second World War. An iron fence will be placed around this plot and a white cross will be erected for each man who will not be returning from battle.

The Theta Chi fraternity and the Bond and Key club have also made plans for house decorations although these plans have not yet been disclosed.

—Buy Victory Bonds.



## WE WANT IT!!

What do you think of the idea of having a college store?

Would you be willing to work in it? Susan Schadt—I think it would be a good idea as we wouldn't have to go downtown all the time. I wish they would sell both raw and pasteurized milk. Also ice cream.

Irene Bortz—I think it would be swell. Cakes, crackers, cookies, ice cream and sandwiches, if possible, would be nice.

Gloria Reichley—I would be willing to work in it. Other large schools have them and so I don't see why Susquehanna shouldn't.

Marjorie Barton—I like the idea, but I wish it would have been started my freshman year instead of now. For the people that are coming, I think it would be swell. I would be willing to help work in it.

Hilda Markey—it would save all of us the time walking downtown when we get hungry. Most other schools have them. It would be an asset to the school.

Rhoda Klemens—A college store would live on S. U. and add the greatest asset the school needs. Every school has a college store.

Frances Crowell—it would be wonderful, but definitely!

Louise Kreisinger—it would be a good idea. You wouldn't have to run downtown all the time.

Emily Botdorf—I think it is super duper!

Marian Robson—Then I wouldn't have to take my 10 o'clock permission to get something to eat.

Dolores Mattson—it would be especially nice at night. It would be nice, if not at first, to have a soda fountain later on.

Jim Clark—it would keep the kids around the campus more rather than downtown. Just a snack would suffice.

Al Derr—I think it would be fine. It would save a lot of running downtown. I wish they would sell soda, ice cream, and candy.

William Yancheo—A soda fountain would save a lot of walking.

Dall Dechia—I think it would be a good idea. It would create a better acquaintance among the students. Stationery should be sold.

Ross Johns—it would save a lot of time. It is a good idea if the money would be used to better the school, especially in athletics.

Harry Welliver—I think it is a wonderful idea. I would be willing to work in it. It would save trips downtown.

Charles Mitchell—I would go for it in a big way. Very convenient, saving time. Ice cream and milk should be sold.

David Bomboy—By all means we should have one. I think it is wonderful. I know the other boys here would be in favor of it too. We should have it on a non-profit basis, but just for the student's benefit.

Charles Lady—I think it is a swell idea. I would be willing to do my share in making it a success.

David Sterrett—I think it would be a very excellent idea. It would save lots of the students' time, and if scholarships were offered for the job of tending it, it would help some student in paying his way through college. It would also be another source of revenue for the school.

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## SOCIAL SLANTS

ODS, KDP AND SAI  
PLAN RUSH WEEK

Susquehanna's three sororities, Omega Delta Sigma, Kappa Delta Phi, and Sigma Alpha Iota, will begin the formal fall "rushing" November 5 with a Sorority Rush Tea to be held at 4 p. m. in Seibert's parlors for girl students.

During the week of rushing, which will end when bids have been turned in at noon, November 12, the sororities have agreed to stage two parties for their rushes, one large and one small one, instead of following last year's intensive program.

From Saturday night until bidding day, Monday the 12th, the traditional "quiet period" will be observed on the campus. During this time freshmen will be prohibited from talking to upper-class women and vice versa.

The president of ODS is Jane Malkams, and Betty Jane Hurr is head of KDP. The music sorority, SAI, is led by Dottie Sternat.

## SCA MEETS

Thursday evening, October 25th, the S. C. A. held its regular meeting in the chapel. A special program was arranged. The Reverend Mr. John Ritter was the guest speaker.

Rine Winey, who was in charge of the meeting, introduced the guest speaker. The Rev. Mr. Ritter spoke of the need of a well-rounded education. He stated that when young people are away from home they need the church more than ever.

Miss Velma Shook rendered several marimba solos among which were: "Just As I Am," and "Sweet Hour of Prayer." Miss Shook was accompanied by Marian Stelgerwalt.

## INTER-SORORITY

On October 18, 175 of Susquehanna's girl students made the two mile trip to Salem Grove for a welmer roast with all the trimmings. The event was the Inter-Sorority hike, an annual tradition here at Susquehanna.

The girls ate hot dogs, soft drinks, potato chips, and doughnuts. A program of singing around the fire side was held.

Jane Malkames led the program of singing. Other leaders were Dottie Sternat, chairman of the food committee, Marjorie Barton, chairman of the demolishing committee, and Elise Thompson headed the fire committee.

The evening ended with a hike by moonlight back to S. U.

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## PHI KAPPA

Phi Kappa, the Greek club, was reorganized on Thursday, October 18 in the Greek room by the Greek students under the direction of Dr. Ahl. It was agreed upon to uphold the high standards established by the Phi Kappas before it was dissolved several years ago.

The following officers were elected: President, Dave Bomboy; secretary, Jerry Moore; sergeant-at-arms, Charles Lady; and treasurer, Paul Bingham.

## Helen Eby Engaged

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Helen Eby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Eby, of Newport, Pa., to Glenn Doss, Lieutenant (j.g.) United States Maritime Service, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Doss of Cranford, N. J.

Lieutenant Doss attended the University of Missouri before entering service. He was enrolled in the Civil Engineering course, and while there was a member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity.

Helen, who is a Junior, is one of the most active members of our campus. She is vice president of Kappa Delta Phi, a member of Alpha Psi Omega, Inter-Sorority Council, Student Council, Women's Athletic Association, Business Society, and the Theatre Guild. She is also Junior class treasurer.

## STUDENTS CELEBRATE

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leaves, apples, with old Mr. Scarecrow standing sedately in the center of the floor keeping a watchful eye on everyone—when his head wasn't on the floor. The party was a "howling" success—orchids to the committee heads and their committees.

## Alumni News

Lt. (j.g.) Harold M. Gross, '45, also wears the Air Medal, and he recently returned to the States from the Pacific for leave and reassignment with the bombing squadron of Navy Air Group 17. He and his crew are credited with the successful bombing of a Jap cruiser, a tanker, and a cargo ship.

Pfc. Robert C. Fellows, '45, returned home in May after serving a year in the European area. He is now stationed at Grand Island, Nebraska, where he is training to be a remote control turret gunnery instructor.

Today, many members of the Class of '46 are stationed at points all over the globe. Sgt. Dale Bringman is located in the Philippines with the 141st A. C. S. Squadron. Cpl. Kenneth D. Loss is serving somewhere in the Pacific.

Two other members of the Class of '46, Sgt. Howard Huges and Pfc. Thomas Lenz, met at a Red Cross Club in Rodenburg, Germany. Sgt. Huges is now located about thirty miles south of Kassel in Germany.

## Returning Vets

Curtis Lehman is a new student on campus from Sunbury. A brother of Selena, Curtis has spent the past five years in the Quartermasters Corps of the Army. Curtis was overseas for three years during which time he was in many of the European countries. He landed in France four days after D-Day, was in the northern French campaign, Ardenn's Campaign, Rhine Land Campaign, and Central Europe Campaign.

On May 26, 1944, Curtis married Miss Marian Powell of London, England. Curtis is enrolled in the Business Department with plans of becoming an accountant.

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## Crusaderettes Lose to Lebanon Valley

Saturday, October 27th, the Crusaderettes journeyed to Annville to play the Lebanon Valley hockey team.

What a game! It was nip 'n tuck the whole way through! S. U. scored early in the first quarter, with Bobbie Kain making the goal. Then the blue and white L. V. team made a goal.

With the end of the game only about a minute and a half away, Lebanon Valley made another goal, making them victorious over S. U. with a score of 2-1.

The lineup was:

Miss Lucy Clayton, coach.  
Clark, Gayle—center forward.  
Dale, Mary—center forward.  
Lizzio, Mary—left wing.  
Lehman, Selena—left inner.  
Steele, Eleanor, left inner.  
Kain, Bobbie—right inner.  
Herr, Ben—right wing.  
Wolfe, Adah—center.  
Myers, Nancy—left half.  
Lybarger, Fran—left half.  
Cryder, Leah—right half.  
Doss, Ginny—right full back.  
Lee, Verdella—left full back.  
Birtley, Louise—full back.  
Wagner, Dottie—full back.  
Day, Naomi—goalie.

## Football

The past two years have found the traditional freshman vs. sophomore football game abandoned due to lack of man power. This year a football game is in the making for our Homecoming Day program, but due to a lack of sophomore men it will be between the freshmen and the upperclassmen.

In 1941 the freshmen-sophomore game was won by the sophomores by a score of 6-0. Then in 1942, the last year the game was played, it was won 6-0 by the freshmen when a 35-yard pass from Bob Maddocks to Jimmy Mowles put the ball on the two foot line. Then fullback Jack Boyer carried the pigskin over the goal line for the only score of the game.

This year we find two evenly matched teams preparing for what is anticipated to be one of the most thrilling games ever to be played on the Susquehanna University gridiron. The game is scheduled to be played at 9:30 A. M. on Saturday, November 3, 1945.

## "OLD TIMES"

"We won the game!" "Take down that dirty flag!" "Welcome back alumni—beat John Hopkins!" Does it all sound familiar? To some of you it wouldn't; but to the upperclassmen, I'm sure these things bring back memories of past homecomings at S. U. Wouldn't it be tragic if the classes now at Susquehanna knew nothing of the traditions concerning homecoming and therefore couldn't pass them on to posterity. One of the biggest events on any campus is the homecoming week-end. Let's delve into the past and have a glimpse of what it was like.

Friday night before the football game the band went down to the athletic field, playing S. U.'s fight song like mad. The student body gathered around the bonfire for the football rally and sang and cheered with the band. Susquehanna could never lose the game with such spirit behind its team (even if we did lose, we had plenty of fight left to meet our next opponents). The celebration was finished by parading down town behind the band and indubitably ended up at Reich's.

The fraternity houses and the dorms were all decorated for the alumni, and in the spirit of tradition these decorations had to be guarded from any pranksters from neighboring colleges. The frosh boys had the job of standing watch throughout the night to see that nothing was disturbed. The same boys, however, also worked on raising their class flag on the flag pole in front of Seibert. If this was accomplished, the freshmen would be triumphant over the many humiliations they were subject to by the Sophs. Raising the flag included greasing the flag pole so that no sophomore could climb up and remove the frosh banner. The struggle was successful sometimes and, of course, quite tragic for the lowly frosh at other times.

Homecoming day's first event was the freshman-sophomore football game that always proved to be pulsating with rivalry. The afternoon brought forth the big game with all the pomp and flourish of the band and other entertainment at its best. Once again the freshmen were made to perform—the boys in their pajamas, and the girls with rattles and huge green bows.

The high point of the weekend, as always, was the homecoming dance. The gym was evidently the product of careful preparation with original dec-

orations, soft lights and of course, Ivan Faux. Seeing old friends meet in a place that holds many pleasant memories, is something we should all experience.

Sunday was spent in visiting and reminiscing. Thus—another homecoming has come and gone. Let's hope our future years at Susquehanna will carry on some of the traditions that mark S. U. more than just an institution—they make it our own Alma Mater.

## Basketball

On Friday, November 2nd at 8:00 P. M. there will be a basketball game between the Alumni and this year's Crusaders. This game will be the opening gun of the Homecoming, Founders' Day, Parents' Day program to be held on our campus.

Many a thrill and spill will be in store for those who attend this opening game to be held in the University Gym. Eome of the former stars to be seen in action are: Tom Valunas, coach of Selinsgrove High School, Bill Janssen and Herm Stuempeff of Gettysburg Seminary, John Kocsis, line coach at Northumberland High School, and Bud Smith, who is now attending Mount Airy Seminary at Philadelphia. Coach Amos A. Stagg, Jr., has been drilling his squad intensively the last few weeks in the preparation for the coming season. As the team stands at present we find Captain Bernie Swincki capturing the starting assignment as center, Jerry Moore and Dave Gross as forward, and Joe Taylor and Harry Culp starting as guards.

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## HOMECOMING DANCE A HUGE SUCCESS

The Annual Inter-Sorority, Inter-Fraternity Homecoming Dance was held in the Alumni Gymnasium Saturday, November 3rd, at 8:30. The gym was decorated in red, white and blue with victory as its theme. As this was the first Homecoming Dance since the war is over, there were many former students back for the dance.

Ivan Faux and his orchestra furnished the music for the dancing. Clyde Sechler, a former student, now with Fred Waring's glee club, sang several numbers with Ivan during the evening.

Chaperons for the evening were Dr. and Mrs. Scudder, Dr. and Mrs. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Stagg, Mr. and Mrs. Yorty, and Dr. Robison.

The following are some of the couples who attended the dance: C. Black and J. Ackenback, M. Sharwark and H. Otterbine, A. Riordan and W. Douglas, A. Wright and A. Brown, L. Kepner and J. Ward, M. Gohl and H. Weaver, I. Strawbridge and K. Etshied, E. Williams and B. Herr, J. Southwick and C. Lady, W. Myers and E. Schweidler, C. West and C. Kappenhaver, J. Keller and D. Hess, H. Harbeson and B. Kler, R. Klinger and B. Relsenweaver, V. Fleisher and B. Fredrick, C. Smith and A. Logar, N. Myers and H. Culp, E. Hacker and B. Yaisle, H. Peters and K. Khinard, J. Braveman and M. Levinger, M. Johns and J. Craver, F. Crowell and J. Eveland, L. Briand and L. Rowllins, V. Shook and R. Troutman, D. Stenat and W. Thomas, M. Stapleton and H. Cornellson, M. Barton and D. Sterrett, G. Clark and D. Fosselman, G. Walmer and D. Welkel, R. Williams and R. Klein, J. Kinzer and J. Warner, G. Gasparoli and J. Wright, J. Matthews and C. Dresher, M. Gretsinger and E. Gus, A. Miller and J. Taylor, J. Geiger and D. King, P. Minster and L. Weller, B. Kain and B. Brown, J. Wortlye and R. Mould, J. Hoffman and W. Seerist, R. Cochrane and B. Surplus, E. Laks and F. Parsons, S. Keller and B. Fellows, P. Frey and S. Benfrew, G. Roberts and R. Johns, M. Phillips and J. Moore, B. Ramer and R. Buckingham, A. Spire and H. Welliver, M. McHenry and P. Flaherty, A. Birtley and J. Stephenson, M. Stout and B. McKenry, J. Apple and J. Anbogast, A. Gibson and H. Davis, B. Frank and H. Reyser, J. Wentzel and C. Ziempe, H. Gould and D. Clapper, B. Heller and D. Bomboy, F. Lybarger and W. Lybarger, H. Markey and J. Kocsis, G. Speyer and A. Gelnett, C. Bosum and A. Richards, R. Richard and R. Parrarra, and C. Marks and J. Stern.

### Isabel Nicely Promoted

Miss Isabel Nicely has been appointed Secretary of Admissions here at Susquehanna University. The appointment of Miss Nicely became effective this summer upon the resignation of Mrs. Frank Ulrich. Previous to this time she has been secretary to Dean Russell Galt.

Miss Nicely was graduated from Sunbury Senior High School and attended the Pennsylvania State College. Formerly from Harrisburg, she makes her home in Selinggrove with her grandparents.

### Homecoming Convocation

At the Homecoming Chapel service, held on Saturday morning at eleven o'clock, we were privileged to have several outstanding men on the program.

This program was conducted as much like our usual Chapel services as possible. Dr. Smith was in charge, with Professor Linebaugh at the organ. Miss Hope Spicer sang "Do Not Go, My Love," accompanied at the piano by Miss Marjorie Stapleton.

The Rev. Mr. William A. Janson, of York, Pennsylvania, president of the General Alumni Association, extended the greetings of the day.

Mr. Robert Wilson, a graduate of the class of 1931 from Susquehanna University, and who is now principal of the Waymont High School, was the main speaker. Mr. Wilson's address concerned the outcome of the San Francisco Peace Security conference. Wa of the Christian colleges of America have a great challenge to meet—a challenge to raise up leaders among the college students to carry on and perpetuate this peace which we have only recently acquired. Peace, on paper only, will not last. That peace must live in the hearts of men.

### Victory Bond Drive Ends Successfully

With the Minute Man Flag flying from the flagpole, the Victory Bond Drive is rapidly drawing to a close. Started off by a speech from President Truman, with the main purpose being to supply service men and women with hospital care, it will close officially November 15th on our campus.

October's results, as announced by Miss Allison, advisor of the committee, showed a total of over \$3000 being submitted, entitling S. U. to a panel on a hospital bed. This amount represented a purchase by 97% of the student body.

Miss Alice Rote, Community Division Assistant of the War Finance Committee of Pennsylvania is expected on the campus in the near future in connection with the drive.

To be commended are the co-chairmen of the special committee for soliciting sales, Gloria Walmer and Louise Kretsinger and all others connected with it for getting out and putting it over the top.

### Elect Beatrice Herman to Local School Board

Miss Beatrice Herman, bursar at Susquehanna, was elected school director at the local election held Tuesday, November 6. Miss Herman polled a total of 833 votes from the three voting districts in the borough of Selinggrove. Miss Herman now is the first woman ever to hold an elective office in Snyder county.

—Buy Victory Bonds.

## Klick, Hazen, Winey Chosen Who's Who

The office of the Dean announced this week the three Seniors who have been selected by the members of the S. U. faculty for nomination for inclusion in the 1945-46 volume of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges." The qualities for which Marie Klick, Norma Hazen, and Rine Winey were chosen were character, scholarship, leadership, participation in extra-curricular activities, and possibilities of future usefulness.

MARIE KLICK, of Wind Gap, Pa., has been an active student on the campus, being President of Woman's Co-Operative, member of Sigma Alpha Iota, Student Christian Association, and various music organizations. She is taking the Music Education course.

NORMA HAZEN, Liberal Arts student from Sunbury, Pa., has appeared on the Dean's List regularly. She is a member of Pi Gamma Mu, the Susquehanna Staff, and Kappa Delta Phi Sorority.

RINE WINEY, business Administration student from Selinggrove, is a member of Bond and Key, Pi Gamma Mu, Alpha Psi Omega, Theatre Guild, Business Society, and prominent in almost every activity on the campus.

## University Press

The first book of the Susquehanna Press, "Walk the Long Years," by Dr. Frederick Brush, will be issued about Christmas of this year. It is the outcome of his whole life of walking along the Susquehanna River and some of its tributaries. The 350 pages of this nature book, which contains eighteen black and white cuts, gives a view into the lives of the natives of the land bordering the Susquehanna.

"Walk the Long Years" has passed the first stage of proof and is ready for the second. In style, it reminds one of Walt Whitman, and in philosophy of Charles Lamb.

The Editorial Board consists of Dr. G. Morris Smith, Dr. Russell Galt, Dr. G. F. Dunkelberger, Dr. Arthur H. Wilson, Dr. William Russ, Jr., and Dr. Russell Gilbert. The editing was done by Drs. Gilbert and Wilson.

The Susquehanna University Press was founded and endowed one year ago. It publishes the annual journal of faculty articles, "Susquehanna University Studies." These studies have been published annually for the past ten years.

### THETA CHI TO OPEN CHAPTER HOME SOON

The Beta Omega chapter of Theta Chi National Fraternity announced officially this week that its house will be opened in the near future.

This will be the first time that this chapter has been opened since the fire of 1942. When the house was ready to open after the fire, practically all of the Theta Chi men were in the service of our country, thus there was not a sufficient number of men to open the house. Beta Omega chapter then went into inactive status by renting the house to a private family, but keeping several rooms to house its own members.

Beta Omega chapter is now on active status since its veterans are beginning to return to school.

## LOUIS FISCHER TO LECTURE AT 2nd STAR COURSE

The Susquehanna University Star Course series will feature as the second number of the '45-'46 season Louis Fischer, lecturer, on Thursday, November 15, in Seibert Hall.



LOUIS FISCHER

Fischer is an author, editor and lecturer of recognized authority. His subject at Susquehanna will be "Ever Changing Russia."

In his lecture Mr. Fischer raises the question, "What could America fear from a victorious Russia." To this he answers, "Certainly not a Communist revolution. The American communists are an insignificant handful."

His discussion should prove to be interesting since Mr. Fischer is well qualified to talk on an important subject such as Russia and her changes. He knows the Middle East also, since he was a house guest of Gandhi in India. He is also author of the well known writing, "Empire," "Dawn of Victory," and other books.

## Rural Life Conference Held at Susquehanna

The annual conference on rural life will be held in Seibert Hall Wednesday, November 14, 1945, to discuss Evangelism and the Christian home.

The initial session at 9:45 A. M. will be opened by President G. Morris Smith. The Rev. Dr. Harold H. McConnell, Secretary of Evangelism of the Federal Council of Churches, and the Rev. Theodore Schleifele, of Hartleton, will give addresses on the subject of evangelism.

After a luncheon in the Horton Dining Hall at noon, the afternoon session will begin at 1:30 P. M. with a discussion on the Christian home. A mother's viewpoint will be given by Mrs. John Heller. Dr. W. J. Mather, of State College, will speak on the family-centered life. Dr. G. F. Dunkelberger and Arthur J. Geinett will speak preceding the general discussion.

The Susquehanna Singers will open both the morning and afternoon sessions of this meeting of ministers, teachers, school superintendents, and high school principals, laymen and parents of the Susquehanna and Juniata Valleys.



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## EDITORIALS

### THE BEGINNING OF THE END?

Is the discovery of the atom bomb the beginning of the end, or is it really and truly the beginning of a great civilization for mankind?

Unfortunately, no one knows the answer to this question. Meanwhile throughout the entire world, discussion is going on as to just what should be done with the atomic bomb secret. Recently Mr. Churchill made the statement that the secret should be shared by all the allied nations once the United Nations organization commenced to operate and could give intelligent supervision to the problem of control. Russia, however, is stirring up a great deal of trouble demanding why she has not been made a co-sharer of this secret along with Canada and Great Britain.

In the United States itself, there is great controversy upon this question. Some people seem to feel that the United States should maintain it as a closely guarded secret and use it for our own benefit so as to prevent future wars. Their opinion is, that in the hands of other nations, it will be a weapon used solely for war, rather than as a beneficiary of mankind.

Others are more prone to take the Internationalistic attitude for a commission of nations whose duty it shall be to supervise all research and use the results for constructive purposes.

Whatever your opinion may be, you must realize that we are a closely integrated body of nations, each one of whom cannot exist without the cooperation of the other. We must all learn to work together or fall together. Would that this fact once said could be accomplished so that humanity could soar to the heights of which philosophers and idealists dream!

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### WELL DONE

The students and faculty of our school are to be complimented for their most generous response in the several drives which have been held on our campus within the past several weeks. The first drive was made by the Student Christian Association for the purpose of a benevolent fund. To this the school responded almost 100% by contributing a total of \$204. Next, the Victory Loan Drive came and to this they again showed their spirit of giving in a most excellent manner. Last was the drive for filling Christmas boxes which will be sent to the starving people of Europe. The final report on this was that the students and faculty members had together filled a grand total of fourteen boxes which will bring a voice of cheer to some war torn people on Christmas.

We, the staff of the school paper, want to take this opportunity to extend our most sincere thanks to all those who in any way or form contributed so generously to these three worthy causes. Also, we want to give a rousing vote of thanks to those who gave their time and energy to conduct and administer the above drives. To all of you we should, "Well done."

## Alumni News

Seven members of the class of '43 returned to their alma: Ruth Billow, Centre Hall; Donald Spooner, State College; Eileen Boone Winter, Towson, Maryland; Ferne E. Lauver, Harrisburg; Jessie W. Schmittener, Carlisle; Dorothy Delecker, Frackville, and Dorothy Webber, Scranton.

WAVE Sara Mitek, x'47, who present address is Washington, D. C., was among former Susquehannans on the campus. Nine of last year's class registered during the day: LaVerne Kohn, Merchantville, New Jersey; Corinne Kahn, Bloomfield, New Jersey; Mary Moyer, Milton; Louise Kresge, Ocean Grove, New Jersey; Margaret Walters, Scotch Plains, New Jersey; Marian

## CHATTERBRAIN

We began this month with lovely weather—but isn't raking leaves sort of a hopeless job? There's no end to it; besides, it's fun walking thru them.

Well, the Frosh got the initial blow—MARKS—just a little advice, it happens to the best of us, believe me! How about it, upperclassmen?

We had our first Star Course of the year and it was really good. To add to the evening, Peg Bathgate asked for Mr. Cordon's address—turned around for down the steps. Wonder what Mr. Cordon thought? Marian Steigerwald turned into another adoring autograph hound and asked for his name on paper—she said afterward it wasn't much good—you can't read it!!!

Just a short word about Miss Clayton's leaving us. She was showered with gifts and also tears. We hated to see her leave but she had no choice—nice choice, we call it!

Susquehanna Crusaders opened their basketball season by playing the Alumni on November 2. It was good to see some of the fellows and gals back again. The first surprise of the evening—Kay Fox Park and hubby (hubba, hubba, hubba); then LaVerne with Mitch; next two newly engaged persons—Larry Isaacs and Lou Kresge; also one of the Alumni players is now going to S. U.—Bob Fellows.

Another surprise at the game was the Cheerleaders—we didn't know we had such a snappy bunch. They are Ruthie Williams, Bobbie Gatz, Nan Myers, Bobbie Kain and Gloria Gasparoli. They certainly get around; in and out, across the floor and back. Let's give them plenty of backing. Rah!

A few of last year's grads were back and it sure was swell seeing them—to name some: Corinne Kahn, Mary Moyer, M. E. Basehor, Marian Willard, Jack Warner, Robert Surplus; the Waves were here in the forms of Skip Keller and Sally Mitek (who went to the dance with Rine); Jean Geiger and Ruthe Garman Dotson also appeared Friday night; the Marines were here—Ginnie Hallock and her bunk-mate. It was the best Homecoming in several years—let's hope for a better one next year!!

Before we leave that weekend—I'd like to add the announcer for the basketball game was R. (Bill) Sterne Johns. Seriously, let's have more of that!

Joe Willard was heard getting advice about what to do and what not to do at a wedding—what's the cooking Capt. Joe Paratrooper????

On Monday at 4:00 was the Inter-Sorority Rush tea and everything went off fine until Ben Herr had an unfor-

Willard, Coatesville; Jean Geiger, Philadelphia; Mary Elizabeth Basehor, Biglerville, and Jean Kinzer, Middle town. Dorothy Allen, x'45, of Pen Argyl, also visited here.

The class of '44 was represented by eight alumnae: Catherine Byrod, Steelton; Susan Goynne, Pittsburgh; Janet Hoke, R. D. No. 7, York; Ethel Wilson, Kils-Lyn; Phyllis Wolfe Englert, Franklin; Ada J. Romig, Wormleysburg; Jean Renfer, Wilmington, Delaware, and Betty A. Soley, White Sulphur Springs, West Virginia.

### LOST & FOUND

Lost: A lot of bright and happy smiles as the 3:47 pulled out on November fourth.

Found: A great Homecoming studded with Alumni, brand-new engagement rings, and husbands.

Lost: Ten years growth by the girl who walked into Hassinger and saw a headless soldier sitting in an easy

lunate accident and poured tea on Angie Campo. Apologies were made and Angie appeared in a different dress. Those things will happen!

The basketball game on Tuesday night was really good—with our men coming out on top—the thing that impressed me was the blankets the bench-sitters used. Any chance of getting some for the spectators who froze on the stands.

Rushing is over for another year—and none too soon either from the looks of some of the sorority gals on Saturday night—they looked really tired. All the food that was flying around this week, it's a wonder someone wasn't violently ill. Did you notice the gals in long dresses puddle-hopping Friday night—it's that lovely S. U. rainy weather again.

The big event of the week was the Hockey game between the gals and the fellows. From all the threats heard previously the game was really going to be knock-down and drag-out but it was really quite tame. To mention a few happenings: the fellows' "Goldie" Sweenick really had a terrific time keeping the gals from making goals; Bob Fellows turned into a wrong side man; now, Al do you think it was nice to pick on poor little Wilkie; Grap was on the ground more than upright; but the star for the fellows was Culpie who played a mixed-brand of hockey, basketball and football but made the only goal for the fellows. We'll have another game, but Miss Smith is afraid to risk her team this week 'cause they have a big game coming up on Saturday.

The Rush dance held on Saturday night turned out to be a success. Contrasts to the fellows for coming. Maybe we'll have more Saturday night "vie" dances now.

Did you see Ongkar dancing—nice going, boy—keep up the good work. One corner was the scene of some terrific rug-cutting by Campo and Kretzing. Doris Wanbaugh and her guy at the dance—perhaps we'll be seeing more of him, how about it, Doris?

Another old friend came back this week—Helen Zahn—nice to see you again. Fran Lybarger and her visitor, Conie, went on a 25 mile (honest-to-goodness) bike ride on Saturday and most of it in the rain too. Pity more of us aren't that energetic!!! We do manage to make it to Reich's once in awhile, though, don't we gals?

Confidentially, I'm beat to the socks so will have to close for now, just a closing thought! Now that your guys are coming back from the wars, how about helping out this Victory Loan and help S. U. to fly that Minute Man for another month!

Found: Beauty courses—for further information see Bomboy or Glanzberg and learn how they keep glamorous.

Lost: One train, or was that on purpose, Dick?

Found: A simply gorgeous lei of baby orchids around Fran Lybarger's neck.

Lost: Just everybody's voice—could one person be spreading the germ?

Found: Two foreign language experts. For private lessons, see Beckie or Elise.

Found: A new way to play Hockey, which the men of Susquehanna will exhibit as soon as they recover from the last game.

Lost: So many girls' hearts over that new male at Phi Mu Alpha.

Found: Ray Mould is going in the dress business.

Found: Where some of the fellas spend their spare afternoons—in the parlor of the Cottage.

## BLIND DATE

Last week Seibert Hall took on the appearance of a blind date bureau two days previous to the big event. Every time the phone rang, 20 girls would run screaming down the hall. One girl wound up with two dates for the dance, which was fine except that both boys hated each other like Uncle Sam and Hirohito.

At last the big night arrived. I walked down the velvet stairs trying to create an illusion of loveliness, but alas, the only things that greeted me were the hawk-like stares of fond mamma's and papas. • (Of course the fact that six girls were hanging over the banister and whispering excitedly into my ear didn't help my poise much either.)

Where was my blind date? What if I couldn't find him! Finally I spotted my girl friend standing with two boys. One of them was the most luscious 6 foot 2 inches with eyes of blue hunk of man I'd ever seen. He was a combination of Tyrone Power, Charles Boyer, and Gary Cooper. I instinctively walked toward him. Only when a hand went out from my girl friend and gently pushed me back did I realize that my date was that timid little creature behind the horn-rimmed glasses standing beside him. (He must have been about 5'4". I'm 5'8".)

Bravely I smiled a greeting and proceeded to pin on his corsage—I'm sure now that there must have been a bargain sale, somewhere on flowers. I can't yet decide what kind of flowers were in that corsage. Perhaps it's better I don't know. Anyway the aroma was enough to knock you over. We walked past the long line of staring parents felling like something from the police line-up and set out for the gym.

Fortunately for me, the gym was dimly lighted. At last he got up his courage and croaked in a cracked voice, "Shall we dance?" He must have studied toe dancing but I wish he hadn't used my toes. Oh, Wilfred was a divine date, as long as I didn't look at him.

Eventually the evening came to an end. By then I was so exhausted trying to keep up with Alfred's prancing that I didn't care. To say he was quiet would be putting it mildly. In fact, I don't think he said more than "Hello" and "Goodnight" all evening. Oh yes, he also walked off with my dance program and not until after he had left did I learn his name wasn't Wilfred at all. It was Mortimer!

## Opinion On the Atomic Bomb

The following are the results of the poll taken on our campus concerning the vital question of the control of atomic energy:

I am in favor of the creation of an international commission for the control of production and use of atomic energy.

Students ..... 45

Faculty ..... 6

I am in favor of the United States maintaining the scientific control of atomic energy and keeping it within our control for the safety of our own welfare.

Students ..... 108

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## SOCIAL SLANTS

### W. A. A. News

The Women's Athletic Association held its monthly meeting on Monday, November 11, with Selena Lehman, president, in charge. During the business meeting, many suggestions for activities in which, the organization can participate were proposed, although nothing definite has been decided as yet.

Carmen Beckwith was appointed song leader and will lead the group in community singing after each meeting.

Our new adviser, Miss Betty Smith, announced November 17 as the date for the Varsity Hockey Game at Shipensburg. After discussing the challenging of other college teams, Gettysburg seemed to be the most popular. If they agree to a game, it will probably be played here at S. U. late in November.

### S. C. A. News

On November 18 at 2:30 p. m. the cabinet members of the Student Christian Association will journey to Lock Haven to attend the Susquehanna Area Conference.

This Conference is being held for all cabinet members of the Lutheran Students' Association. Other schools from this area attending are Bucknell University, Penn State College, and Lock Haven.

On Thursday evening, November 8, at Steele Science Hall, the Student Christian Association presented a short sound movie entitled "A Journey Into Faith." This was a movie showing the events leading up to the Crucifixion of Christ.

The meeting was opened with the reading of the scripture lesson by Betty Jane Herr. Following this, the movie was shown and, after a short prayer, the meeting was adjourned.

### Fraternities Rush

At a meeting of the Inter-Fraternity Senate on Monday, October 29, plans were made by the three fraternities for this year's rushing season. Present at the meeting were: Larry Weller, and Prof. Linebaugh from Bond and Key; Roswell Johns and Dr. Russ from Phi Mu Delta; and Arthur Gelnett and Dr. Dunkelberger from Theta Chi. Dr. Galt acted as chairman of the Senate.

It was decided to begin the "Rushing" Monday at 8:00 a. m. and continue it until Friday, November 16 at 12:00 midnight. From midnight Friday until 1:00 p. m. Saturday, November 17,

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there is to be a quiet period. Pledge period will be held from 1:00 p. m. Saturday until 4:00 p. m.

It was also agreed upon by the Senate to publish a fact finder on each fraternity as was done in pre-war years. This booklet is to help the freshman to choose the right fraternity organization. It contains information relative to room rent, dues, and fees of all three fraternities on the campus.

### RETURNING VETERANS

Bob Fellows resumed his college career on November 5. Bob had almost completed his sophomore year at Susquehanna, where he enlisted in the Army Air Corps in 1942. He was stationed at Miami Beach first, and then Akron, Ohio for College Training. He was sent to San Antonio, Texas and Ft. Stockton respectively. His final training, before going to Italy, was taken in armament school at Lowry Field, Colorado. After having served nine months with the 15th Air Force in Italy, he returned to the States and was discharged in Washington, D. C., three weeks ago.

Bob is continuing with the Business Administration Course. He will also continue playing varsity basketball, as he did in his former days at S. U. Bob's home is in Altoona.

### ANNOUNCEMENT

Dr. Scudder has announced that the medical aptitude tests will be given on Susquehanna's campus on Friday, December 14. All those pre-medical students who plan to enter medical school in 1946 and who have not taken this examination in previous years, are urged to contact Dr. Scudder immediately.

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## Phi Mu Delta Wins Decoration Prize

Susquehanna fraternities and dormitories competed with each other in decorating for the first real Homecoming Day in several years. The Phi Mu Delta fraternity received the traditional plaque award, presented by Dean Galt at the Homecoming Dance.

Judges were Dean Galt, chairman, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hatz, and Miss Bertha Hein.

In close running was the Cottage, which came in second, and Theta Chi, which was third.

The contestants were judged on six points:

1. originality
2. adaptability
3. amount of effort put forth
4. color scheme
5. impressiveness
6. lighting.

The committee was well pleased with the appearance and cooperation of most of the student body.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest appreciation and thanks to the student body for their many expressions of sympathy during our recent bereavement.

Harry Culp and family.

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## WHAT WE THINK

**QUESTION**—Do you think the secret of the atomic bomb should be made international or kept national?

**DAWN EBERT**—I think it should be under international control because the only way to start making certain of peace is to trust all the countries. For instance, if we don't give it to Russia, they might use it against us, but if we included them in this council for control of the bomb naturally they will feel more free towards us and that is what we want.

**ARLA BILGER**—I think it should be under international control for the same reasons that Dawn does because Russia and the other countries already know a lot about it, and if we don't include them they would use it against us rather than use it for us.

**CARL HERMAN**—I don't think the United States should keep it a secret to themselves because the other nations already have been working on it, and if we try to keep it a secret they will work on it so much the more until they have it completed. I also think it should be put to peaceful use.

**BETTY REISCH**—I definitely think it should be international.

**CORA MAE ARTHUR**—There are ideas on both sides that are good. As far as international is concerned, some of the countries know it already, but yet it would be a good idea to keep it in our own country as much as possible because if all the countries get it, it may lead to destruction.

**DR. WATERBURY**—The possibilities of it are tremendous, but I don't feel the same way as many people do about its power and man's ability to control it. Everytime a new weapon has been devised, we have found methods of control and prevention against it. I don't think the atomic bomb will destroy civilization, but will be a great force for peace and the betterment of society.

**JANE GUNDRUM**—I think that we definitely should keep it here because it affords our country protection against future wars.

**CARMEN BECKWITH**—I think the bomb should be destroyed because if we give it international control then there are sneaks like the Japs, and if it is kept here in the United States, it will cause antagonism and the other countries will find something worse.

**FANCHER WOLFE**—In my opinion they should make the control of the bomb international and have a committee of philosophers and scientists to govern the control of atomic energy.

**GRACE BILLOW**—I think the con-

trol of it should be made international. If it is international, it will prevent wars. If the United States would just have it, it may become too strong, and be used for wars and make other countries jealous.

**WARREN AUTERBRIDGE**—I think that Britain and America should control the use of the bomb and also control the production in the countries which produce the raw materials which go into the making of it.

**DR. WILSON**—I don't believe that one's opinion amounts to anything about the secrecy of the atomic bomb because I believe that all of the major nations will see to it that they all know as much as can be known. I think it is a secret that only forty nations will know. It is a secret that is no secret. But, personally I would like to see the United States be the sole guardian of the secret of the atomic bomb because I think our own is the most altruistic nation in the world, and would use it for a good purpose. I don't trust other nations.

**ART GELNETT**—I don't think we should give it to other nations. If it was worth a tremendous sum for us to discover why should we be "soft" enough to give away our scientific wonder. Why should we give it to some other country when some day they will use it to perhaps destroy us?

**HARRY CULP**—It should be kept in the United States. We discovered it, and so why give it away.

**RAYMOND MOULD**—I think it should be kept in the United States because it is such a dangerous weapon and until they have proved a way to keep it under control. I think that the world should be able to use the benefits of it however.

**MURIEL PHILLIPS**—I think it should be international because if they keep it among themselves, Russia and the other countries will get peaved and they will learn the secret sooner or later, so it might as well be now.

## Basketball

The Crusaders opened their basketball season on November 2, 1945, by downing a strong but short winded Alumni team 61-34.

The Alumni started out in the first period in great form, but by the end of the period the Crusaders came back to go out in front. Janson and Kocsis kept the Crusaders on their toes as they cleverly dropped in field goals from all over the court.

## Football

On Saturday, November 3, the old tradition of the Frosh-Sophomore (this year Frosh-Upperclassman) football game was once again carried on. The game was played on a wet field which added to the fun. There was a big question that morning whether or not the game would go on as scheduled.

The freshmen kicked off to the upperclassmen, who didn't get very far as the frosh really wanted to make a game of it.

The upperclassmen score came early in the second quarter, when Moore went over from the ten yard line and then made the extra point on an off tackle play.

The freshmen gave no real scoring threat except on a few long end runs by Culp and Grey. The freshmen passes were clicking but to no avail. The upperclassmen were the aggressors all the way and proved it by ending the game six inches from the freshman goal line. The final score was 7-0 upperclassmen. Everyone had a wonderful time, and is looking forward to another game next year.

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## MALKAMES CHOSEN SNOW QUEEN OF '45

### HOCKEY TEAM COMPLETES SEASON DEFEATED SHIPPENBURG TEACHERS



First row: Lizzio, Wagner, Myers, Herr, Lee, Wolfe, Cryder. Second row: Lybarger, Day, Kain, Clark, Miss Clayton, Steels, Lehman, Dale, Doss, Birtley.

The Crusaderettes opened the hockey season by playing Lebanon Valley at Annville on October 27th. Bobbie Kain got us off to a fast start in the first half by making a goal a few minutes after the game had started. Shortly after the opposing team rang up one for their side. With one minute and a half remaining, Lebanon Valley scored another goal, making them victorious over S. U. with a 2-1 score.

On November 17, the team was invited to attend the Shippensburg Play Day with Millersville and Lebanon Valley. With four colleges present it was necessary for two games being played and the winner of each game playing the finals.

Our opponent was Shippensburg. What a game! The team members showed plenty of spirit and were determined to enter the finals. The back field displayed an extra special defensive force. Verdella Lee, a freshman, played with the experience of a senior. Naomi Day did an excellent job of knocking out the balls that threatened to enter the goal cage. The forward line repeatedly advanced down the field and Selena Lehman scored a goal giving Susquehanna a victory of 1-0 at the close of the game.

Susquehanna entered the finals in the afternoon against our old rival, Lebanon Valley. In spite of our superb playing the opposition was too great and we were defeated.

The team was unfortunate in losing its coach, Miss Lucy Clayton, after the first game; however, Miss Betty Smith did a wonderful job of taking up where Miss Clayton left off.

One of the highlights of the season was a "mild" game with the S. U. fellows, in which the girls BATTLED their way to victory.

First Lieut. Harry Klepko, '41, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Klepko, of Water street, arrived hometoday from Indian-ton Gap following his discharge from active military service. Actively engaged in sports training while assigned overseas, he has coached three championship basketball teams in the army, the first one at New Orleans, where he was stationed for some time, and the others in Alaska and France.

### Christmas Program To be Held Dec. 17

The Christmas festivities will open at S. U. Monday, December 17, at the formal dinner to be given at Seibert Hall. The dinner will be open to the faculty, as well as the student body. After the dinner, a Christmas program will be presented in the Chapel by the Student Christian Association. The program will be brief and heightened by beautiful Christmas music. Everyone is then invited to join the caroling group that will serenade the faculty members at their homes. The returning carders will go to the social rooms of Seibert Hall to partake of the awaiting refreshments and enjoy dancing to records.

### Returning Veterans

Ralph Witmer, Jr., born in Selingrove, graduated from Selingrove High, has recently been discharged from the Army Air Corps. During his 32 months in the service he was trained at nine different fields in the States. Then he was shipped to Europe, where he saw action in Germany, France and Italy. Now Ralph is studying analytic geometry here at S. U.

Dick Wagner joined the Navy in January, 1941. He received his boot training at Bainbridge, Md. After his discharge last October from Portsmouth Naval Hospital, Va., Dick decided to carry on family tradition by enrolling at S. U. He is taking the pre-med course. Golf, football, and dancing are his spare time occupations.

Bill Plock planned to come to S. U. after his graduation from Selingrove High but the war interfered with his plans. He was an adjutant in a general hospital in the Army for four years and 10 months. Now that the war is over Bill has come to S. U. to take a course in Business Administration.

### JUDGE HENNINGER SCA SPEAKER

Judge James F. Henninger, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of Lehigh County, Allentown, Penna., a member of the Executive Board of the United Lutheran Church of America and a very active layman in St. John's Lutheran Church in Allentown, was the guest speaker of the S. C. A. meeting on Tuesday evening, December 6.

His talk dealt with "Orientation" and he stressed the positive and negative side of orientating yourself to your environment.

Marie Klicik led the devotional program.

Dexter Weikel presided at the organ and Louise Schlick and Elsie Thompson rendered a duet.

On Monday, December 3, S. C. A. held its regular meeting. The speaker for the evening was Charles Lady topic was "Four Square Life."

Music in the form of a clarinet solo, was provided by Lenore Garman.

### Sophomores Present Gala Christmas Dance

Jane Malkames, a senior from Hazleton, was crowned Snow Queen at the Sophomore Hop Saturday night. Jane is a well known figure on our campus. Her vivid personality and leadership, make her one of our favorites. She is a member of Student Council, Alpha Psi Omega, president of O.D.S., and Inter-Sorority Council, and active in the S.C.A. Cabinet. Jane is taking the Business Education course and plans to teach after she graduates.

Jane's tastes vary from spaghetti and meatballs to taking trips to Chicago. When asked how she felt when she heard her name announced for the queen, she replied, "I didn't know what to do or think, I was so surprised!" All those who saw Jane at the dance, will agree that she made a worthy queen.

The Sophomore Hop, with Ivan Faux and his orchestra furnishing the music, was held in the Alumni Gymnasium on Saturday evening, December 8.

As one entered the gym, he was immediately aware of the Christmas atmosphere. "Jolly ole" St. Nick himself, surrounded by packages and seated on a sled which was mounted on snow, was at the door to greet all. Upon going farther, one passed through a white archway covered with evergreen boughs with the traditional mistletoe in the center.

The theme of the decoration of the gym was blue and silver, and a large Christmas tree decked with silver tinsel stood in the center with a pale blue spotlight converging on it. Snowballs covered the ceiling of the gym, and wreaths and looping evergreens adorned every window.

Another specialty of the dance was the dropping of thousands of snowflakes while the orchestra played "White Christmas."

Chaperons for the dance were Mr. and Mrs. P. Linsbaugh, Dr. and Mrs. Russell Gilbert, Dr. J. Houtz, Mr. D. I. Reitz, Mr. Grover C. T. Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hatz, and Coach and Mrs. A. A. Staggs, Jr.

Jerry Moore was chairman for the Hop, and Harriet Gould was co-chairman. The committees were: Decorations, Al Giansburg, Roberta Gaetz, Mary Sharwarko, Betty Remer, Marie Stout, Dexter Weikel, Angie Campo, Mary Ellen Wood, and Eleanor Steele; Publicity and Programs, Bobbie Kain, Angie Campo, Jewel MacNamara, Sara Lee Smith, and Anna Shetz; Refreshments, Betty Smith and Caroline Graybill; Lights, David Bomboy, and Harry Williver.

Campus couples who attended the dance were: H. Gould and D. Bomboy, G. Speyer and A. Gelmett, Mr. Phillips and J. Moore, G. Roberts and R. Johns, A. Spire and H. Williver, R. Klemons and A. Giansburg, J. Milkams and N. Gray, P. Minnier and L. Weller, E. Thompson and B. Swenski, M. Johns and S. Deitz, J. Southwick and C. Lady, M. Barton and D. Sterrett, E. Hacker, D. Beckwith, E. Steele and R. Winsy, G. Walmer and D. Weikel, A. Wright and D. Wagner, B. Kain and

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### Guild Announces the Cast of "Stage Door"

STAGE DOOR, a play written by Edna Ferber and George S. Kaufman, will be the major production of the Theatre Guild for this year. A tentative date has been set for giving this play, but it has not as yet been approved by the Social Committee. However, it will be put on some time in January.

The action of "Stage Door" centers about the lives of a number of fellows and girls who all live at a theatrical boarding house, and are all trying to make names for themselves on the stage. This play, which was made into a movie sometime ago, promises to be quite intriguing.

The directors in charge of this production are Miss June Hoffman and Miss "Ben" Herr.

The cast:

Gloria Gasparoli, Terry. Lee Cryder, Judith. Bobby Kain, Bobby. June Hoffman, Pat. Lil Kepner, Jean. "Ben" Herr, Tony. Dave Sterrett, Keith. Harry Culp, Kingsley. Marian Robson, Big Mary. Fran Lybarger, Little Mary. Carolyn Marks, Madeline. Jean Strauss, Kaye. Muriel Phillips, Bernie. Bobbie Gatz, Olga. Peggy Bathgate, Louise. Ruthie, Williams, Susan. Ruth Cochrane, Kendall. Jane Malkames, Ellen. Harriet Gould, Mrs. Orcott. Jean Wentzel, Mattie. Jerry Moore, Frank. Carmen Beckwith, Ann. Art Gelmett, Lou Milhauser. Dick Beckwith, Devereaux. Dave Bomboy, F. Powell. Paul Bingham, Dr. Randall. Rine Winsy, Adolf Gretsel. Charles Lady, Larry Wescott.

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## EDITORIALS

### Action!!!!

It has been suggested to the Editors of the Susquehanna that all thoughts of a store on campus be forgotten if action is not taken immediately. It has also been suggested that the proper way to start any action along this line is for the students to name representatives who will have the job of calling on President Smith and making known to him the intentions of the student body. Upon the advice of President Smith would rest the fate of the idea.

If any students are interested enough in the above plan, let them meet to clarify all objectives and defects of the store in order to present a clear bill to the President. What is needed now more than anything else is a capable leader. College students are the leaders of tomorrow but one Susquehanna student must be capable of being a leader today.

If there is no response along this line in the near future, the matter will be dropped without hope of reconsideration.

### Where is Our Spirit??

The Crusaders, yes, that is the name of the team. The Crusaders of old had followers; where are the followers of ours today?

We have played four games so far this season. Of these we have won two and lost two. Two of these games were played on our home courts, the other two were not.

At these two games played on home courts, the attendance was very poor.

We expect them to fight and win for us, but how can a team go on doing its best when it has no support from its classmates? What incentive have them to win when no one apparently cares whether they do or not?

We are going to have two more games before the Christmas vacation, one is at Huntingdon, the other at Susque-

hanna. Let's all show our support of the team by coming out in full force for this game.

Win fellows, we're behind you!

### Roaming Reporter

Question: What do you want for Christmas?

Dr. Scudder: A little more pep. A good six months' rest.

Ben Herr: I want Fred home.

Frances Savidge: My favorite boyfriend home.

Paye Retz: Typewriter.

Martha Garard: Mink coat.

Edna Etzrodt: Roller skates.

Miss Brosius: A new Ford car.

Helen Eby: Glenn.

Ginny Does: Santa Claus.

Betty Frank: Yellow convertible with red seats.

Gay Wagner: Fur coat.

Harriet Gould: Nylon hose.

Hilda Markey: Johnny.

Jean Wentzel: My father home.

Annie Gibson: Submarine.

C. G. Roberts: Panda bear.

Dave Bomboy: Radio.

Mary Ellen Wood: To get a rebel suit.

Al Glanzberg: Good dance.

Harry Welliver: A new line. The old one isn't working so well.

Hope Spicer: Nylons.

Margie Stapleton: Chevrolet club coupe.

Bernadine Koons: Phonograph and semi-classical records.

Jean Strauster: Prewar Christmas.

Lillian Kepner: A black convertible Cadillac with red seats, radio and white-walled tires.

Verdella M. Lee: A convertible car with Van Johnson in it.

Jean Matthews: Ten Knubby knit sweaters and 100 records.

Arlene Decker: Coat, sweater, and other nice things.

Irene Bortz: Animals for my bed.

Lieut. Francis R. Gelnett, USNR, son of Mrs. Ella R. Gelnett, 210 S. Market street, is spending a terminal leave at his home. November 16 his ship returned to the States, docking at Portland, Ore. Prior to his entering the Naval service, Lieutenant Gelnett was a commercial teacher in Union City High School, Union City.

## CHATTERBRAIN

This column has a big job to get all caught up with all the news for the last three weeks, but I'll try to do my best.

I think the biggest thrill of the time was the extended Thanksgiving vacation through the courtesy of President Smith—who insisted at the Formal Dinner that not only students, but faculty and even his own family were overjoyed at the event. Orchids and a great big thank you from all the students!

Just a few little things observed around campus—Harry Culp working at Reich's and trying to get all the college kids served; how is it that Nan Meyers gets the best service? The fellows playing football on the lawn, must be in practice for next year; Hilda and Johnny must have had quite a vacation—at least considering the length of it; Ross and G. G. are still doing fine it seems; two other couples on campus are Margy Johns and Stan Dietz and Mary Gohl and Pete Beck (the latter bears watching).

I'm convinced that more of us should have friends (that is, special friends) on the basketball team. The Saturday the fellows played in New York some of the guys brought back gifts for some gals—the lucky gals were Nan Meyers, Muriel Phillips, and Lee Cryder. Use your imagination as to who gave the gifts.

Ellie Thompson spent last weekend at the Army-Navy game—some gals have all the luck. Guess she had a wonderful time too.

Another joyous face on campus is Gayle Clark—reason is Ben (we don't mean Ben Herr either)—anyway, she left Saturday on the 12:16 to meet him in Philly for the weekend. Maybe we can tell more later.

Two of our Frosh gals have been doing all right as far as some of the town fellows are concerned. Ann Wright has been seen with Dick Wagner and Jean Matthews with Herbie Schultz. Just to mention a couple of other affairs on campus—this Southwick-Lady duo is going quite strong (she always appears at basketball games); and another couple right in step with them is Hoffman-Serist.

An amusing thing happened this week down at Theta Chi. It seems that Dave Bomboy has a habit of walking in his sleep—the other night he rose, fully dressed himself before

awaking. Consider this a warning gals! Who knows he may come calling for one of you about 2 some night—it might even be Harriet—, now what gave me that idea????

Lantern pictures came back and we found that they weren't as bad as they looked before. Also, the group pictures were stunning and I liked the fact you could order them too (even if it does break me a little).

I've saved the last of the column for the Christmas Dance. Honestly gals and guys, wasn't it super! The gym looked like a wonderland—bushels of congratulations to the Sophomores—you really did a swell piece of work. I was wondering why the lights had been on in the gym so many nights last week.

To mention a few of the people there last: Charlie Mitchell and La Verne (graduated last year); "Jennis" Kramer and Maynard, both looking as though the gym was strictly "Out-of-this-world"; Marty's Henry got here and they looked a little like Jennie; Naomi Day and a downtown boy, John Shadle; Elaine and Smitty with Dave and Julie respectfully seemed to be doing fine together; Bobbie's brother Don Kain was there—how do you like him gals, not bad! Of course, there were many couples there I have not the space to mention—the gals with the blind dates were doing fine I thought—Peggy Bathgate certainly made out all right; and of course the steady couples around campus were there too and in all their glory.

Oh, I haven't forgotten the Christmas Queen. I thoroughly agree with Doctor Gilbert about its being a hard thing to choose. As you know the Queen was Jane Malkames, and a very fitting one I think too. Her escort was Norm Gray, did you see the personality grin on the boy's face when Dr. Gilbert crowned her!

I think we'll all agree that White Christmas and Stardust were the favorite pieces—here's hoping we see a white Christmas for all those veterans who are returning for their first home Christmas in years.

You can bet that all the programs were signed, "Had a wonderful time." As far as I'm concerned as soon as I sign this off I'm going back up to Cloud No. 9 and dream some more. "And may all your Christmases be white!"

### Fraternity Senate

At a recent meeting of the Fraternity Senate on Monday, November 19, in Dr. Galt's office, the Senate took the following action on the general practice of "hell week". The Fraternity Senate of Susquehanna University concurs in the action of the National Inter-Fraternity Conference that all forms of hazing involving mental or physical torture are a menace to the welfare of an educational institution and the various organizations which are a part of that institution, as well as to the individual student; therefore, all fraternities at Susquehanna are requested to ban officially and absolutely such forms of hazing including paddling and to discipline offenders effectively. The presidents of Theta Chi and Phi Mu Delta informed the Senate that they had received word from their national headquarters advising them to abolish the traditional "hell week". Later the President of Bond & Key informed the Senate that their club would abide by the Senate's ruling. Members of the Senate are Arthur Gelnett, Roswell Johns, Lawrence Weller, Dr. Dunkelberger, Professor Linebaugh, Dr. Russ, and Dean Galt, chairman.

### HIGHLIGHTS-

- Dec. 10 Student Council Meeting, parlors, 5:00
- House meeting, chapel, 10:00
- Dec. 11 Youth Fellowship, Trinity Church, 7:30
- Dec. 12 S.A.I. Xmas party and dinner, Social rooms.
- Campus Club, parlors, 3:00-5:00
- Biemic Society meeting, Steele Science, 7:00
- Dec. 13 S.C.A. Speaker, Rev. Nace, social rooms, 7:00
- Basketball game at Huntingdon
- Dec. 15 Basketball game with Lebanon Valley at S. U. gym, 8:00
- "Vic Dance," 9:00-11:00
- O.D.S. Christmas Party for underprivileged children, O.D.S. room, 3:00-5:00
- Dec. 17 Christmas Dinner—Formal, Horton Hall, 6:00
- Christmas program, chapel, 7:45
- Carolling, town, 8:30-10:30
- Social—refreshments, social rooms, 10:30-11:00
- Dec. 18 Business Society Meeting, each dorm, 10:00
- Dec. 19 Christmas Recess, noon
- Jan. 3 Classes resume



## Christmas Echoes

"'Twas the Night before Christmas and all through the House." . . . How familiar those lines are to young and old alike. Every great poem has a great story behind it. This is a simple story. It is the story of a little boy and his dad.

One December day in 1822, a seven year old boy was galloping along a woodland trail on his favorite pony. The pony slipped and fell, seriously injuring the boy. Because the pony's leg was broken, it had to be shot. The child, on seeing his pony die, lost his incentive to live.

The doctors were worried. Something must restore the child's spirits, or he might not survive.

That evening, a heart-broken and weepy father trudged through the snow. Suddenly he saw his old friend Jan Duyckinck coming toward him—a sight to behold, with his snowy white beard, round little belly, and good-natured laugh. The boy's father had always been fascinated by the old Dutchman's tales of good Saint Nicholas who brought presents to all the good children of Holland. As he strayed toward home, almost as if a prayer had been answered, visions began to take form in his head.

In his mind he could suddenly visualize a fat jolly old man bearing a vague resemblance to the rosy-cheeked old Dutchman. All the way home so many impressions came to his mind he could scarcely wait to get them jotted down on paper. The professor was hardly accustomed to writing such literature—his life had been spent producing a two volume work entitled "A Compendious Lexicon of the Hebrew Language."

As soon as the last line had been scribbled, the professor ran to his son's room. There, the entire family listened to the magic story in awe. Gradually a smile played across the pale tear-streaked face of the little boy, and then for the first time he laughed.

Many years passed and the poem was studied away in the ancient desk of the professor. It was not forgotten in the hearts of the children, however. One summer a distant relative paid the professor's family a visit. The poem was taken from its dusty nook and read much to the delight of the visitor. In fact, he was so impressed he sent a copy of it to the *Troy, N. Y., Sentinel*. The paper printed it anonymously under the title, "A Visit from St. Nick." For 22 years the professor received neither money nor fame for it, considering it just a whimsical poem that had served its original purpose. Thus, Santa Claus was introduced to America in the form of the old Dutch St. Nick.

That is the story behind Professor Clement C. Moore's immortal poem, that has enchanted young and old alike for 123 years.

## Gift Suggestions

Dr. Ahl—New scarf.  
All Girls—Later permissions.  
Dr. Wilson—Stove for G.A. 204.  
John Malkames—A King.  
Miss Kline—A cat trap.  
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## SOCIAL SLANTS

### Fraternities Pledge

On November 12 at 8:00 A. M., fraternity rushing was formerly opened. Each fraternity rushed until Friday evening, November 16, until 11:59 when the "quiet period" began. The "quiet period" lasted thirteen hours. Saturday afternoon each fraternity held its pledging ceremony.

Bord and Kedge pledged five men: Joe Willard, pledge president; Norman Gray, William Yancho, David Sterrett, and Aloysius Derr.

Four men were pledged to Phi Mu Delta Fraternity: Charles Lady, Wayne Seerist, Edward Guss, and Donald Fosselman.

The National Fraternity pledged three men: Paul Bingham, Richard Beckwith, and Curtis Lehman.

### Phi Kappa

Phi Kappa held its Christmas party at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Ahl, December 4, 1945. The meeting was in charge of the President, Dave Bomboy. During the business session, Warren Outerbridge was initiated into the Fraternity, and Dr. G. Morris Smith was received as an Honorary member.

Jerry Moore read part of the Christmas Story in Greek. The Greek students prayed then The Lord's Prayer and "Silent Night" in that language. Dave Bomboy read a Christmas story, and Paul Bingham, Warren Outerbridge, and Charles Lady told how Christmas is celebrated in foreign countries.

### S. A. I. Sorority News

The S.A.I. girls are giving their annual Christmas program over WKOK Friday evening, December 14, 1945, at seven o'clock. The program is to be as follows: piano solo, Janet Rohrbaugh; vocal solo, Jean Strausser; vocal duet, Hope Spicer and Carmen Beckwith; two choral numbers by the entire active sorority group. We hope that S. A. I.'s entire student body will turn on their radios Friday evening to enjoy this program.

The second big event on the social calendar of S.A.I. for December is the grand Christmas party for the actives, pledges, and Conservatory faculty. This year it is to be held in the form of a dinner followed by a lively entertaining program.

### Biemic Society

The first meeting of the Biemic Society was held in Selbert parlors Wednesday, November 28, at 4:45 P. M. The retiring president, Nancy Myers, was in charge. The following officers were elected: President, Caroline Graybill; Vice-President, Virginia Doss; Secretary-Treasurer, Peggy Bathgate. The group picture for the Lanthorn was taken immediately afterwards.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, December 12, at 6:45 P. M. in Steele Science 100 for the purpose of making plans with organized member participation. All students interested in sciences and mathematics are invited.

### Lanthorn Staff

The staffs for the 1947 Lanthorn have appointed as follows:  
Editorial Staff:  
Editor-in-chief, Louise Schilick.  
Typing Editors, Jane Gundrum, Dorothy Wagner.

Photograph Editor, Jean Kelly.  
Activities Editor, Elise Thompson.  
Sports Editor, Dave Gross.  
Business Staff:  
Business Manager, Joe Taylor.  
Staff Members, Lenore Garman, Helen Eby, Leah Cryder, Gayle Clark, Gloria Walmer.

### SCA TRIP

On November 18, a group of S. U. students motored to Lock Haven to attend a meeting of the Susquehanna area of the Lutheran Students Association of America.

The main purpose of the meeting was to get acquainted with students from other colleges and to discuss the various activities that the Student Christian Associations have undertaken.

Dorothy Sternat conducted the business meeting. Jerry Moore was elected vice president of the Susquehanna Region.

Those who attended were: Pastor Heller, Marjorie Stapleton, Dottie Sternat, Hope Spicer, Jean Strausser, Marie Klick, Lenore Garman, Betty Miller, Jerry Moore, Charles Lady, and Dexter Welkel.

The regional conference of the L. S. A. will be held here on March 8, 9, and 10.

## Alumni to Raise Fund For New Building

The alumni association of Susquehanna University has started a campaign to raise \$100,000 for a much-needed classroom building for our campus.

A special meeting was held in Selbert Hall, Saturday, December 1, at which the Reverend William A. Janson, of York, president of the alumni association, announced the plan for the campaign. \$120 is to be subscribed by each alumni in a lump sum or \$10 monthly for the next year. At the meeting over \$2,000 was secured. Letters have been sent to all of Susquehanna's alumni announcing the campaign.

The campaign committee includes: President Janson, chairman; Dr. G. Morris Smith, Dr. George E. Fisher, Dr. John I. Woodruff, the Rev. Samuel R. Frost, and Marion S. Schoch, of Selinsgrove, and John Apple, of Sunbury.

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## Crusaders Win Two Games and Drop Two

Defeat Milton Y.M.C.A. and Mt. Airy Seminary; Lose to Wagner College and Penn State College

Within the last two weeks the Crusaders have won their first and third games, and dropped their second and fourth games of the season.

On Wednesday, November 28, 1945, the Crusaders topped Milton Y.M.C.A. by the score of 45 to 35. Dave Gross led the Crusaders with a total of 18 points, while Bill Showers excelled for Milton with 11 digits.

Then on Saturday, December 1st the Susquehanna squad journeyed to Staten Island, New York, to meet defeat at the hands of a strong Wagner College team, 52 to 66. Captain Bernie Swiencki racked up a total of 29 points for Susquehanna, but the phenomenal shooting of the Wagner quintet was too much for the Stagmen.

On Wednesday, December 5th, the Crusaders met their second defeat at the hands of the great Penn State squad by the score of 33 to 68. Once again it was Swiencki that was outstanding by scoring 18 of the Crusaders' 33 points. Captain Leo Batnick was top man for Penn State with 11 points.

The Crusaders then chalked up their third win on Friday evening, December 7th by defeating Mt. Airy Seminary to the tune of 43-36. "Bud" Smith, ex-captain of the Crusaders' 1943-44 team, was king for the "Sem," netting a total of 15 points, while Dave Gross was high man for the Crusaders with a total of 12 markers. The box score is as follows:

Susquehanna	Pd.G.	Pl.G.	Pts.
Moore, f	4	0x 0	8
Gross, f	4	4x 5	12
Swiencki, c	4	2x 3	10
Taylor, g	1	1x 1	3
Culp, g	1	0x 0	2
Gray, g	2	4x 5	8
Totals	16	11x14	43
Mt. Airy Seminary	Pd.G.	Pl.G.	Pts.
Kerester, f	2	1x 2	5
Mau, f	0	1x 4	1
Horn, f	1	0x 1	2
Fretheim, c	1	0x 0	2
Keller, g	4	3x 5	11
Smith, g	6	9x 6	15
Totals	14	8x18	36

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## Library News

Susquehanna University would like to acknowledge the gift of several volumes of books from Chaplain Warren Wolfe, U.S.N., Sunbury.

New fiction books:

"The Emperor's Physician," J. R. Perkins.

"The Valley of Decision," Marsha Davinport.

"A Trumpet to Arms," Lancaster

"Gold Is in the Street," Vardoulakis

"A Rebel in Arms," Kenneth Roberts

"Bedford Village," Herbie Allen.

"The Peacock Sheds His Tail," Horbart.

"Captain from Castle," Shellabarger.

Biographies:

"A Man from Kansas," Hinshaw.

"This Man Truman," McNaughton and Hehmyer.

"The Immortal Wife," Irving Stone.

"Enrico Caruso," Caruso.

Miscellaneous:

"Radio's One Hundred Men of Science," Dunlap.

"Anna and the King of Siam," Landon.

"Purple Heart Valley," White.

"Soldier to Civilian," Pratt.

"The Church and the Returning Soldier," Burkhart.

"Veteran Comes Back," Waller.

"Modern Man is Obsolete," Cousins.

"Bolts of Melodies," Emily Dickinson.

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## SOPHOMORES PRESENT GALA CHRISTMAS DANCE

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J. Dall Vecchia, N. Myers and H. Kulp, and L. Cryder and B. Fellows.

Other couples present were: H. Herbeson, B. Kier; M. Sharwarko, H. Oltorbine; M. Stapleton, P. Wolf; H. Spiccr, B. Warren; J. Bottorff, B. Peters;

P. Swartz, J. Stanley; R. Gaetz, R. Palmer; S. Yarnell, W. Harpster; R. Klunger, B. Risenweaver; C. Smith, R. Kliner; J. Strauss, J. Leach; A. Krepis;

J. Peters; D. Sternat, B. Thomas; V. Fleisher, J. Wertz; M. Avery, G. Davidson; M. Steigerwalt, B. Hummel; I. Kies;

B. Dichter; M. Kilek, P. Klein; S. Smith, J. Golden; J. Wentzel, C. Zimpe; J. Apple, J. Arbogast; M. Stout;

V. Johnson; P. Leisenring, D. Gateman; F. Crowell, T. Uip; M. McHenry; P. Flaherty; A. Birtley, J. Stephenson;

C. Marks, J. Stein; M. Robson, L. Kiss; E. Williams, B. Sternat; H. Peters, F. Shook; G. Gasparoli;

R. Wiltmer; V. Snook, R. Reagan; E. Laks, D. Rosenthal; A. Campo, A. Thompson;

P. Bathgate, J. Burns; D. Croft, D. Kain; J. Matthews, J. Shultz; L. Kuhn, C. Mitchell; N. Day, J. Shadle;

J. Cramer, M. Zerbs; B. Heller, B. Miller; H. Markey, J. Kocsis; A. Gibson, G. Shantz; G. Wagoner, H. Dunn.

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## High Schools Tested For College Aptitude

A unique service is being offered by Susquehanna University to forty high schools from Hanover to Hazleton in the form of two types of tests: one to determine vocational interest; the other to show college aptitude. Mr. Ernest T. Yorty, who is giving the tests, estimates that by January 15, 3,500 high school seniors will have received the interest test and the same number the aptitude exam. The testing program began November 20th.

The college aptitude test is aimed at giving the student some inkling of his ability to do college work. Results are tabulated according to percentile rank.

Because interest is one of the most important factors in determining success, the vocational interest test plays an important part in vocational guidance. The test does one of two things for the student: if he has reached no decision as to his life work, it gives him an idea of the things in which he is interested; if he has already made a choice, it either substantiates the choice, or not. Dr. Kenneth Waterbury assisted Mr. Yorty in administering the tests.

## Phys. Ed. Teacher Joins SU Faculty

Our new Physical Education teacher, Miss Rosemary Lamberton, comes from Portland, Maine. A graduate of Bates College, Lewiston, Maine, Miss Lamberton did her graduate work at Columbia University, New York.

She has done elementary grade school teaching, high school teaching, and junior college teaching in the states of Maine, New Hampshire, Connecticut, and Maryland. In Maine, the camp state, Miss Lamberton was a camp counselor, directing water sports, for seventeen years, the last two years of which she acted as head counselor.

Miss Lamberton's favorite sports are swimming and horseback riding. She has many hobbies, among which are reading, stage plays, and a very fascinating miniature car collection. She thinks Susquehanna University has a pretty campus and a very friendly and pleasant student body.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- January 17—Biemic Society meeting, St. Science 100, 7:00 p. m.
- 17—Campus Club Party for faculty and wives, Seibert Social Rooms, 8:00-10:00
- 19—Basketball game, Juniata at SU, Gym, 8:00 p. m.
- Vic Dance, Gym, 9:15-10:00
- 26—Semester ends
- S-U basketball game at Carlisle
- 26-28—Semester Vacation
- 29—Registration for Second Semester, 8:00
- 30—Classes resume on schedule, 8:00
- 31—S.C.A. meeting, Miss Hein speaker, social rooms, 7:00

To Arthur Gehlert and his family the students and faculty wish to extend their sincere sympathy in this time of bereavement.

## STRIKES!

QUESTION—What do you think of the strike situation?  
ANSWERS—

Dr. Wilson—It seems very obvious that the epidemic of strikes throughout the country indicates that somebody is at fault because the situation has gone beyond the place of protecting the employee by establishing a decent living wage. When two people absolutely refuse to see anything good in the point of view of the other person, then both of them are wrong. I heartily agree with the public statement of the Governor of the Commonwealth who said that the general public is more important than capital or labor. Things have come to the place where the general public should now be given consideration likewise; it will be a happy day when Congress begins to apply laws governing corporations not only to manufacturing companies, but also to labor unions.

Martha Garard—I think that strikes are all right as long as they don't interfere with the public welfare, but when they start to do that, then the government should step in. When it interferes with any public service such as transportation or communication, it should be stopped.

Dr. Russ—These strikes are unfortunate and distressing, but they are part of American democracy and are a natural aftermath of a long war. The present rash of labor disputes represents an accumulation of strikes that did not occur in 1942, 1943, 1944, and so on. I believe that calmness and patience are needed and that the troubles will be ironed out—but labor will probably come out on the small end of the horn.

Take the G. M. strike, for instance. Labor leaders were ill-advised to order a strike. The labor forces may be right; we cannot tell because the company will not open its books. But with the right or wrong, labor leaders should have known they could not win all their demands, and that, even if they win some, they will in the end cut their own throats. The reason is that the public wants cars and will blame the unions for not producing them. Labor leaders were dunderheads for calling a strike in which public opinion would inevitably be against the strikers. In order to win, all the company has to do is to sit tight, do nothing, and let public opinion take its course, aided by G. M. advertising. The result will be the election of a Republican House this fall and a Republican President in '48. If labor leaders are so dumb as to allow labor to be made

into a cat's paw in such a way, the unions deserve to get a good slapping down. And they will get it.

Joan Wentzel—What did the boys fight for if workers are going to go on strike? What would have happened if the servicemen would have gone on strike during the war. Men should understand that money isn't everything. How are they going to keep this country going if there is no cooperation among men?

Miss Kline—I have no patience with labor. I think there was a time when labor had some just complaints because capital was unfair. I think that labor has gone to a much greater length than capital ever did. The strikes are inexhaustible. When I think of what the servicemen went through and what he was paid for it, it seems discouraging that the laborer should strike for more. It makes a delay on reconversion to peace time production. I think the leaders are at fault and the workers themselves are unable to do anything about it.

Jackie Gring—I think they should go back to work and not demand any more wages because it will raise the American standard of living high and higher; and if the standard goes higher prices will go up, and the common man will not be able to live satisfactorily.

Dr. Ahl—in the reconversion period there should be no strikes, and if there are to be, strikes then those who wish to work should not be interfered with. The government should guarantee everyone the right to work if he wants to. Exorbitant wage increases are followed by a higher cost of living which only brings us a step nearer inflation.

Joan Kelly—I think it is alarming the country against the workmen. There is going to be a great deal of pressure against the workmen through the medium of Congress, and perhaps they will lose all that they have gained.

Warren Aubridge—I think that the strikers should be made to abide by a decision of a court set up for that purpose.

Betty Smith—Right now the situation is bad, but it is normal that it should happen, and will eventually work itself out.

Lois Danberman—They are asking for so many little petty things that eventually they will straighten themselves out. After the tension during the war, they feel like putting in a few words to try to get things for themselves.

## New Books in Library

After semester tests there will be a breathing spell in which we will have time to enjoy some of the new fiction books at the library. Two humorous books are ANGEL OF THE NAVY and EGG AND I. Also of interest is Ernie Pyle's BRAVE MEN Norman Cousins' MODERN MAN IS OBSOLETE, which by request has been published in book form, is now available. Biographies include A MAN FROM KANSAS, by Hinchshaw, THE TROLOPPERS, THE CHRONICLE OF A WRITING FAMILY by St. John; and, THIS MAN TRUMAN by McNaughton and Hehmyer. Books on the returning soldier include VETERAN COMES BACK, by

Waller; THE CHURCH AND THE RETURNING SOLDIER, by Burkhardt; and SOLDIER TO CIVILIAN by Pratt. A book on the negro problem is BLACK METROPOLIS, written by two negroes—St. Clair Drake and Horace Cayton. The five-year plan of Springfield, Massachusetts is explained by Clarence I. Chatto and Alice L. Halligan in their book, THE STORY OF THE SPRINGFIELD PLAN, which has just been received by the library. For five years Springfield has carried out a plan to teach its people how to live at peace in a democracy. An industrial city of different races and creeds, Springfield has taken action to wipe out the problems typical of many cities in America.

## SU TO BE HOST FOR CONFERENCE

On March 8-9-10 Susquehanna University will be host to a group of students from colleges located along the northeastern seaboard. This conference is held by the Lutheran Students Association of America and is open to students of all denominations. It is the annual meeting of the Lutheran Students Association. Each year a different college is chosen as the meeting place. This year Susquehanna has had the honor of being chosen as the conference site, and it is up to every student here on campus to help make this conference a success.

The delegates will be quartered in private homes throughout the community. One of the main purposes of the meeting is to encourage Christian living. There will be many outstanding speakers and leaders who will take charge of the seminar meetings. The conference will close with a communion service for all delegates.

Committee heads for the conference are: Marie Klick, Registrar; Hospitality, Jane Malkames and Jerry Moore; Housing, Art Ginnett and Betty Jayne; Transportation, Hope Spicer and Charles Lady; Dining room, Eleanor Steele; Entertainment, Marie Klick, Dave Bomboy, and Charles Lady; Publicity, Dorothy Sternat and Dave Bomboy.

## "Walk the Long Years" Published by SU Press

The first book publication of the Susquehanna University Press, "Walk the Long Years," by Dr. Frederick Brush, will be released this year. The book is representative of the Susquehanna River and its tributaries and the lives of the people in this section. Dr. Brush is well able to describe for us the natural beauty of the scenery from his own experiences in walking practically the whole length of this great river. The book is one of wisdom. In style, it reminds one of Walt Whitman. In philosophy, it follows the pattern of Charles Lamb and the Wordsworths.

"Walk the Long Years" is 350 pages in length and contains eighteen black and white cuts, sixteen of which will be full page cuts.

It seems very likely that this first book of the University Press will have the distinction of taking its place among such outstanding nature books as those written by Dorothy and William Wordsworth, Henry David Thoreau and John Burroughs.

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Sincere sympathy to Warren Aubridge on the loss of his father.



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## EDITORIALS

The United States has just helped liberate the oppressed and persecuted peoples of the world. Her task now is to act as big brother, ideal, and advisor to those crippled nations who are struggling to regain their rightful place in this built-riddled earth. Now every eye is on America. The prince and the peasant, the lord and the laborer alike are watching the United States, and are seeing her not strong, unified and content, but almost torn asunder by an, as yet, bloodless revolution!

Any high school student knows how difficult it is for a nation to avoid inflation after a national emergency. Any child knows that high wages mean higher prices and higher cost of living and that is just another way of spelling inflation. Who are these men who strike for inflation? Certainly not returned servicemen! The ex-G.I.'s have acquired too much wisdom since 1941 to be so uncooperative at a time when cooperation is so imperative. They are the men and women who received more than ever before while the war was raging while others gave more than they should. Now they want more!!

We are not capitalistic. We are not anti-labor. We feel there has been enough pro-labor legislation passed and in action now to allow for differences to be settled without crippling our country from coast to coast. The prosperous America, with happy citizenry and tall smokestacks issuing forth black clouds that mean everything we want is on the way, is the bright picture our Allies should look UP to now. Who wants to be guided by a country across faces there marches a picket line?

We have almost completed another semester at Susquehanna. As we look back, we find that there were many things that we did that could be improved and other events that will have the lasting effect of pleasant memories in our lives.

Does it ever occur to us that we are about to begin a new epoch in our lives at college? We are about to do our part in the readjustment period in the lives of the returning G. I.'s. It is our job to help these men who have fought to help preserve our safety feel that they belong on our campus. It is also our job to try to improve all the mistakes we have made in the past semester and make the coming one the most successful in our lives, in the history of our school, and an indication that a better world is possible if each of us makes an effort to make the improvement. We have a clean slate in front of us now—let us make the writing on it clear, straight, and worth reading.

## Engagements

Anna C. Miller

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Miller, of 117 North Second street, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Anna Catherine, to Jack W. Boyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Boyer, of 467 North Second street.

Miss Miller is a senior at Susquehanna University, majoring in the Music Course. Mr. Boyer is a former student of Susquehanna who majored in the Business Course. He expects to return to his studies since his recent discharge from Army service.

As yet no definite date for the wedding has been set.

Ruth E. Cochran

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth P. Cochran, of Bloomfield, New Jersey, announced the engagement of their daughter, Ruth, to Robert W. Surplus. The announcement was made on Christmas Eve.

Miss Cochran is a senior at Susquehanna. Mr. Surplus, of Gouldsboro, Pa., is a graduate of SU also. He took the Music Course and was an active member of Theta Chi. At present he is teaching music in a public school at Minnola, Long Island. He is studying at Columbia for his Master's degree.

No date as yet has been set for the wedding.

## CHATTERBRAIN

There's so much to cover this time, that without further ado, I'll get right down to brass tacks. It seems that everyone had a wonderful Christmas.

Santa Claus had a few diamonds in his pack this year. Annie Miller received one from Jack Boyer (whom we may see back here next semester). Ruth Cochran got hers from Bob Surplus as a grad of last year who's been on campus several times this year). Mary Gohl got hers from that cute sailor we saw on campus not so long ago, and Joe Taylor gave one to his gal from home. Best wishes to all of you.

Now for some other news about things we did when we were home. Bobbie Kain spent a few days with Jigger at his home; they had a super time from what I've heard. Ben Herr and Marty Sharwarko were absolutely glowing when they came back—it could have been that wonderful New Year's Eve they spent! J. Malkam's and H. Eby spent part of the vacation with their respective loves (they had a special good time, too). Jackie Braveman had quite a time keeping Jimmy, Tommy, and Mel apart. Who is it, Jackie? Culp made money like a madman by working for the Post Office. Despite the fact that there was some sickness reported too, it seems that S. Uites had a good Christmas season.

When we left for vacation, Don Wholen, a boy from last year, was back to visit us from the Merchant Marine. And shortly after vacation, Jack Warner and Tony Payne came back too.

Hilda Markey got a beautiful fur coat for Christmas. Whether Gray and Wolfe got their coats for Christmas or not, I don't know but what are they trying to do—Eskimos????

Something I just can't forget to mention is Joe Willard's marriage. He was married on the 21st, spent some time in New York and came back with a ring on third finger left and a happy smile. Much happiness and luck to you and the little woman, Joe.

Art Gilmet spent some of the vacation in Tennessee, visiting a girl friend. Now, I wonder about the stuff meek Art had when he returned to school. Hummmmm???

Rumor! The latest is that we'll have more men around next semester—have you seen any of those boys in the Registrar's office? Hubba! Hubba! Anyway in preparation some girls got a new perfume for Christmas—Brau Catcher!!

Bond and Key residents are once again back in their house. They lost their boiler just before Christmas and had to spend some wild nights in S. U. lockers. It was funny to see fellows in there again, how about it?

Another old alumnus, Ralph Brown, was back. They say he plays a wicked game of basketball, and will be back to play with the team next semester.

Bob McPhill, another alumnus, has been seen downtown with June Hoffman and Gloria Gasparoli. Pretty sharp, isn't he, have you noticed him, gals?

I saw Jeanie Wentzel and some men walking around campus. Jeanie looked very happy. Come on, girl, who were they? Could one of them be her Bill?

The first weekend we were back Phil M. gave a House Party that turned into a party nice affair. Some of the usual staidies were there: Phil and Judy, Harry and Nan, Southwick and Lady, Wayne and June, Dexter and Gloria. Some of the other couples were Bernie and Graybill, Charlie Mitchell and Ruthie Williams, Fosselman and Gayle Clark (who had an absolutely out of this world time during her vacation). Taylor and Ross

were stags. Ross' gal, G. G. Roberts, was home very ill. Too bad you had to miss it, G. G. Everyone said they had a fine time.

Did you see that blonde sailor with Fran Lybarger; that was all right, huh? Incidentally, he's the same guy who sent her the orchid lei, remember?

There for awhile I thought we might have some good skating weather down at Little Norway but no such luck! Some of the fellows were down one afternoon and liked it! Keep wishing for some good weather and S. U. will skate.

This past week everyone went trotting downtown to see a revived picture, "Wuthering Heights." It was a combination of drooling and crying, but they liked it.

The basketball game with Dickinson turned out to be a disappointment—and the weather was lousy. Miss Hein was busily worrying about all the girls getting colds from their wet feet.

Johnnie Keesis left Sunday for home and then Med. school—poor Hilda, whatever will she do while Johnnie is away? They'll really burn up the U. S. Mail system, won't they?

Another friend who is leaving us is Berni, who is joining Uncle Sam's forces. We'll certainly miss him, both on the basketball floor and as the campus Casanova. Good luck, Berni! Two more guys leaving are Ross and Rine. It won't be the same without you—so come back to visit us soon. Good luck to you boys, too.

Another old friend from last year showed up Saturday—Marian Willard. That would be about the only thing that would get Doty Elharf and Ginny Dess to breakfast, how about it, girls.

Four S. U. men who were here before the War came back—Al Kaplus, Frank Zisler, Bob Maddocks, and Gene Gundrum. They'll be back eventually.

That tall, dark merchant marine belonged to Ellie Steele and no need to say who Dave and Julie were down to see this weekend. Doc and Peggy were lucky too to have those men around.

The bud of romance between Anna Shetz and Bill Hays has blossomed into a lovely flower.

I'll have to sign off for now, stagger through these exams, kids. There's a bright new semester coming up in a few days. We'll see you then!

## Susquehanna Students Help Wounded Veterans

There are hundreds of thousands of wounded veterans who receive neither mail nor those little gifts that mean so much to those away from home. A gift package of some sort often means much to a wounded soldier. Perhaps a box of cookies or candies, a good book or magazine, a game, such as a set of playing cards, or even an entertaining chatty letter will cheer a wounded veteran so much that it tends to relieve his mind of suffering and anxiety.

Through the Gift Department of the Gregg Publishing Company, the Business Society of Susquehanna University has already contributed to this great need. During the early part of December, 1945, the Business Society packed a box containing 10 decks of cards, 27 books, 3 shuffle games, and one parlor game. Perhaps this contribution will help to ease the lone drawn-out hours of many unfortunate war veterans. The Business Society is also proud to report that members packed an overseas Christmas Box to be given to a poor and needy child in war-torn Europe.



## "Stage Door" Will be Presented February 21

Alpha Psi Omega will present the three-act play, "Stage Door," on Thursday, February 21 in Selbirt Chapel. Since the last announcement several changes have been made in the cast. The committees have been appointed and have begun work.

Miss Rosemary Lambertson, the faculty adviser, is helping with the directing of the play.

## Alumni News

About 119 former students and graduates of Susquehanna have been discharged from the armed services to date. This number includes several who have already returned to SU to complete their studies and a number who are expected next semester.

Those discharged from the services who would have graduated in 1946 are as follows: S/Sgt. Albert L. Cags, Jr., Pvt. George C. Slow, Pfc. J. Benjamin Bergstresser, Pvt. Jack W. Boyer, Pvt. Ray Butiaux, Sgt. Thron W. Conrad, Pfc. Gale W. Garraux, Pvt. Arthur J. G. Initt, S. 1/c (SK) Donald A. King, Pvt. Alfred Kessler, Pvt. Arthur Klein, Pvt. Wilfred Sheetz, Pvt. Joseph Taylor, Lt. Ralph W. Witmer, Jr., Sgt. Alvert Kaplus, and Ens. James Mowles.

Ex-servicemen who have or would have graduated in the class of '45 include Pfc. Robert T. Bowman, Pfc. Robert C. Fellows, P/O Eugene R. Grandolini, Cpl. Eugene H. Gundrum, Pvt. Vincent Kockenderfer, Pvt. John Koscielski, and Pvt. Jack Levy.

Those of the class of '44 are Sgt. Stephen Bergstresser, S/Sgt. Ralph C. Brown, Jr., Sc M 2/c Stanley Nale, Lt. James R. Clark, Pfc. John R. Leach, S/Sgt. Leon M. Newman, Lt. Joseph Peyton, Cpl. Calvin W. Witmer, Lt. Joseph J. Wos, and M/Sgt. Blair L. Heatson.

The graduating class of '43 is represented by discharges Pfc. John Galski; would-be members are Sgt. Robert McFall, S/Sgt. Edward Richards, Cpl. Donald Bashore, T/Sgt. Eugene DeBarr, Lt. Howard Dye, Maj. Charles F. Gundrum, Sgt. T. Edison James, and Pfc. Wm. B. Rothenberg.

Graduates of the class of '42 recently discharged are Cpl. Lawrence S. Cady, Pvt. Elwood Fisher, Corp. Neil C. Fisher, Sgt. Ray Palmer, Lt. August T. Kaufman, Lt. Kenneth Lyons, and Pfc. Ralph Wolfgang; other students in the class who did not graduate are Maj. Stanley Stonestriker, T/Sgt. Paul I. Groce, Lt. Gertrude Kiser, Second Lieut. Van D. Mingle, Corp. George W. Moyer, and Cpl. Monroe S. Myers.

Alumni of SU in the class of '41 discharged from the service include George Herman, C M 2/c Lt. (Jg.) Melvin W. Jones, T/Sgt. Kenneth A. Bon-sall, Cadet Earl R. Deardorff, Maj. Samuel Fletcher, Lt. Harry Klepko, Chief W. O. Edward F. Korper, T/Sgt. Walter E. Meck, and Sgt. Douglas A. Portzline; those in the class who did not complete their course here are Capt. John M. Reichard, T/Sgt. Richard E. Ditzler, and John P. Powell.

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## SOCIAL SLANTS

### Business Society

On Saturday, December 8, 1945, eight members of the Business Society participated in the presentation ceremony of panels for two hospital beds at the Indianatowp G. Veterans' Hospital. The privileges of placing the panels was earned through the sale of Victory Bonds and Stamps.

The first panel was presented by Miss Gloria Walmer to Private Earl A. Dietz, of 22 Walnut Street, Ashland, Pennsylvania. Private Dietz had served five months in the European theater.

The second panel was presented by Miss Louise Kretsinger to Sergeant Andrew Santlanna, 112 Fourth Street, Patterson, New Jersey. Sergeant Santlanna had spent six months overseas.

A total of \$3,000 raised through the sale of Victory Bonds and Stamps would have qualified our college to place the two panels, but Susquehanna University is proud to state that we far surpassed our goal for up to the present date our total sales amount to \$40,543.50.

### SCA News

The Rev. Carl Honeycutt of Zion Evangelical Lutheran Church, Sunbury, was the guest speaker at the Student Christian Association meeting held Thursday night at 7 p. m. in the social rooms of Selbirt Hall.

Pastor Honeycutt's message was a timely one. He said that many Christians are becoming too broadminded in their philosophy of life, and that we must have a solid foundation and a goal for which to strive. In order to make our lives worthwhile—whether we are teachers, doctors or homemakers—with the last one being most important of all—we have to rise above all the sordidness of life.

He told the story of a young girl who threatened to take her own life if 1945 didn't give her a feeling that life was worth living for. No longer after the new year, she committed suicide because she hadn't found that feeling of usefulness.

Pastor Honeycutt didn't preach a sermon; he made the audience think and he instilled in his listeners a sincere desire to follow the Christian way of living.

### SCA Party

On Tuesday evening, January 8, the Susquehanna students of the Trinity Sunday school class held a party in the Church basement.

Entertainment was in the form of singing, a skit, reading of riddles, playing games, and in conclusion a unique radio program was presented.

Those on the entertainment committee were: David Sterrett, Harriet Gould, David Bomboy, Gloria Walmer, Betty Rauer, Mary Dale, and Betty Smith.

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### Bicmic Society

The Bicmic Society showed a series of movies last Wednesday evening in Steele Science.

The regular monthly meeting will be held Thursday evening, January 17, at 7:00 p. m. in Steele Science 100. At this meeting Ralph Witmer, a former officer of the Army Air Corps, will tell us about airway communications over the battlefield. Ralph is now studying analytic geometry here at Susquehanna.

### Marion Richards and Joe Willard Married

Joe Willard, one of Susquehanna's X-G. I. students, was married to Marion Richards of Lewistown, Dec. 22, at the St. John's Lutheran Church by the Rev. Dr. Samuel E. Wickir.

Mrs. Willard is a graduate of Lewistown High School and of Hood College, Frederick, Md., in 1943. At present, she is teaching in the Derry Township High School.

Joe also graduated from Lewistown High School and attended Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, prior to his enlistment in the army in January, 1941. He spent five years in the service and received his honorable discharge from the service on Nov. 22, 1945.

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## S. U. Graduates In January

At the end of January, four students will become graduates of Susquehanna. They are: Norma Hazen, of Sunbury, Pa.; Roswell Johns, of Honesdale, Pa.; Bernard Swiencki, of Glen Lyon, Pa., and Rine Winsy, of Selinsgrove, Pa.

Ross, a pre-med student, attended Pennsylvania State College in his freshman year and has spent the remaining three at S. U. He plans to obtain his M. D. at the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy. Ross is a member of Phi Mu Delta (vice president in his sophomore and junior year, president during his senior year), Biemic Society, basketball, Student Christian Association, Men's Student Council, Inter-Fraternity Senate, Manager of the varsity, and a member of the Theater Guild. Ross says: "Susquehanna has given me the necessary qualifications for medical school along with the social grace needed in the program."

Bernard Swiencki accelerated in the pre-med course. From S. U. he is going to the Philadelphia College of Osteopathy. Bernie belonged to Biemic Society, Basketball (captain of team in his senior year), Student Christian Association, Men's Student Council.

Rine Winsy spent his entire college career at Susquehanna. Upon graduation he wants to secure a position in a bank. Rine has been a member of the following: Men's Student Council, Pi Gamma Mu, Bond and Key, Theater Guild, Student Christian Association, Business Society, "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges," Lanthorn Editorial Staff, Susquehanna Staff, Basketball, Sophomore class treasurer, Junior class vice president, Senior class vice president, and Alpha Psi Omega.

Norma spent her freshman year at Dickinson Junior College, and her last three at S. U. She took a Liberal Arts course in English and History. Norma, who is now teaching in Selinsgrove High School, plans to continue teaching after graduation. She has been a member of these organizations: Kappa Delta Phi, Phi Gamma Mu, Women's Student Council, Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges, Day Room Organization, and a reporter for the Susquehanna.

Norma says, "S. U. has helped me to broaden my outlook on life. I am beginning to realize how much I don't

know, and my acquaintances here have helped me to see how important a college education is. I have made many friends here too and I won't forget them. S. U. is really a college to be proud of!"

### Engagement

Ruth Ann Kern

Mr. and Mrs. Alan Kern, of 5405 Atlantic Ave., announced the engagement of their daughter, Ruth Ann, to Joseph Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph C. K. Taylor, of 108 E. Bennett ave., on Christmas Eve.

Both Miss Kern and Mr. Taylor are graduates of Wildewood High School. Miss Kern is now employed by the Bill Telephone Company in New Jersey, while Mr. Taylor is a senior at Susquehanna University. He is enrolled in the business administration course.

## Airborne Power Will Help Preserve Peace

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STOUT FIELD, INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Colonel John W. Oberdorf, famed Troop Carrier pilot who helped plan and participated in every major airborne operation in Europe, depicts airborne power as "a great instrument for preserving peace."

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A full colonel at the age of 32 and with a chestful of ribbons and decorations, Colonel Oberdorf is A-5, plans officer, of the I Troop Carrier Command, which has its headquarters at Stout Field.

Interviewed shortly after taking over his new post, Colonel Oberdorf, whose home is in Selinsgrove, declared that "the assurance of peace depends on a fast, strong moving force."

He pointed out that if strategic reserves are available, airborne troops could quickly land and occupy any part of the world in which strife might break out. Divisions of the future, he

believes, will be air-transportable and the men and all their equipment will be flown into battle in bigger and better Troop Carrier planes of the future.

Overseas, Colonel Oberdorf served as plans officer for the IX Troop Carrier Command. In that post, he developed the precise timing and tactical formations now used thruout Troop Carrier. For this achievement, he was awarded the Legion of Merit.

The first time that American soldiers went into combat against the Nazis 'way back in North Africa, Colonel Oberdorf planned the 39-plane operation for air and personally flew in Colonel Edson D. Raff, the airborne command, when American paratroopers landed at Oran, North Africa.

Likewise, Colonel Oberdorf directed the 200-mile-long air armada of planes and gliders that invaded Normandy, but his largest operation was the crossing of the Rhine when Troop Carrier planes flew the 17th American and 6th British Airborne Divisions into Germany to defeat the Wehrmacht.

The tall, well-tanned colonel, along with an RAF squadron leader, was described by a London newspaper after one of the airborne operations as "the brains behind the airborne operation."

Colonel Oberdorf wears 10 battle stars on his ETO ribbon for his notable combat duty in Europe. The airborne operations, in their proper order, were:

The landing of paratroopers at Oran for this operation, Colonel Oberdorf served as deputy commander for air; the parachute landing at Tebessa in Tunisia; the invasion of Sicily and the Salerno beach landings in the summer of 1943; the invasion of Normandy on D-Day; the invasion of southern France; the big airborne operation in Holland which was the first time the First Allied Airborne Army had struck at the enemy; and the crossing of the Rhine.

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## S. U. OPENS SECOND SEMESTER

### Two Ex-Waves New Freshmen

Jean E. Blecher is one of our new girls on campus who was formerly a Wave in the Navy. Jean comes to us from Danville, Pennsylvania. She is a Liberal Arts student who is majoring in Psychology. Her favorite sport is ice skating and in the movie world her two favorite persons are Gregory Peck and Ingrid Bergman. When asked how she liked Susquehanna, she said that she liked the friendly atmosphere of the college. She also said that for the benefit of the new freshmen who think that they must abide by such strict rules and regulations, it is nothing compared to what one must adhere to in the Navy.

Mary Davison is our pretty little miss who comes to us from Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. She is a graduate of the William Penn High School, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania and at Susquehanna is taking the Commercial Education course. She plans to do secretarial work. Although Mary's native home is in Cuba she has lived in the States for almost seven years. She likes to go horseback riding and thinks that Gregory Peck and Ingrid Bergman are tops. She thinks that S. U. is just super and says that some of the fellows are pretty wonderful.

Margaret Latta is another one of our ex-Waves whose home town is in Luckport, New York. She is a Liberal Arts student and is interested in doing social work. She loves to watch football games and Paul Henreid and Greer Garson are favorites of hers. She likes the wholesome atmosphere of S. U. and, when asked about the men on campus, she said, "Wherever there are men it is always more exciting for women."

Marjorie M. Pethick, who is taking the Pre-Nursing course, comes to us from Honesdale, Pennsylvania. For the past year she has been in training at the Presbyterian Hospital in New York State. She is now working toward her degree and, after completing two years at S. U., wants to return to the hospital. She thinks that S. U. is just grand and says that everyone is just wonderful.

Mildred K. Weaver lives in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. She is a Commercial Education student and some day hopes to become a teacher in that field. She likes all sports, and playing the piano is a pastime of hers. Her favorite actor is Van Johnson. She didn't like S. U. so well at first, but after becoming better adjusted to all the rules and regulations, she is beginning to like it very much. She has no particular boyfriend, but her heart is rather partial to a certain fellow from Biglerville.

Justine Vanderbilt comes to us from Brooklyn, New York. She is a Liberal Arts student majoring in science. Sailing is her favorite sport. She thinks the kids on campus are really friendly, much more so than from back home. When asked about what she thought of the unmarried men on campus she replied, "What men aren't married here?"

### Barn Dance Planned For February 23rd

Plans are under way for a Barn Dance to be held in the gym Saturday, February 23rd. This dance is being sponsored by the school with Miss Lamberton, Miss Brosius, and Prof. Reltz in charge. A professional caller and orchestra from Birwick, one of the best in the state, will be on hand from eight to eleven. This orchestra will play for both square and round dancing.

The atmosphere of the gym will be that of an old fashioned barn, for Dave Bomboy and his committee have plans for very appropriate decorations. In keeping with the theme, all attending the dance are urged to dress in cotton dress or overalls and plaid shirts if possible.

As many know little or nothing about square dancing, starting next week Miss Lamberton will teach square dancing in her physical education classes. For the benefit of the girls that have no gym classes and the fellows Miss Lamberton will also teach square dancing at social dancing the two Mondays preceding the dance.

Committee heads for the dance have been appointed as follows: Refreshment committee, Dot Eilhardt; publicity committee, Dave Sterrett; decoration committee, Dave Bomboy; property committee, Harriet Gould; and clean-up committee, Harry Welliver.

### Senior Girls Teach in the Local Schools

The senior girls are getting experience by doing practice teaching in the Selinsgrove High School and the Pine Street School.

The girls teaching at the Pine Street School are the conservatory students and several Liberal Arts students.

Marie Kilck is teaching third and fifth grades in music.

Hope Spicer is teaching first and fifth grades in music.

Dorothy Sternat is teaching third and sixth grades in music.

Marjorie Stapleton is teaching second and sixth grades in music.

Jean Straussner is teaching fourth and fifth grades in music.

Carmen Beckwith is teaching second and fourth grades in music.

Janet Rohrbach is teaching first and fourth grades in music.

Emily Bodoif is teaching second and sixth grades in music.

June Hoffman taught eighth grade history and ninth grade English.

Ruth Cochrane taught eighth grade in history and English.

The girls teaching at Selinsgrove High School are the Commercial Education and Liberal Arts students.

Silma Lehman taught typewriting, Business Mathematics, Business English, and Commercial Law.

Jane Malkames will be teaching Economics and Business Arithmetic.

Gloria Gasparoli taught Junior and Senior English.

Marjorie Barton will be teaching first year typewriting and Business English.

Charlotte Smith will be teaching Vocational Biology and Vocational Mathematics.

### Inter-Sorority-Inter- Fraternity Dance Mar. 2

The Inter-Sorority Council and the Inter-Fraternity Council will sponsor a formal dance on March 2nd. Plans for the dance are at present being formulated by the co-chairmen, Art Gelnett and Jane Malkames. The following committees have been appointed.

Decoration: Hilda Markey and Dick Beckwith, co-chairmen, Albert Kaplus, Peggy Bathgate, Harriet Gould, Dick Moglia, Norman Grey, Nancy Myers, Ruth Williams, Louise Schlick.

Publicity: Barbara Kaine, Donald Bashore, Carmen Beckwith, Warren Outerbridge.

Refreshments: Betty Smith, Carolyn Graybill, Herbert Dankman, Eleanor Steele, Edith McConnell, Warren Outerbridge.

Property and Demolishing: Joe Taylor, Helen Eby, Leah Cryder, Elise Thompson, Jerry Moore, Larry Weller, Charlie Lady, Blair Heaton.

Lights: Nancy Myers, Dave Bomboy, Bob Bowman.

Tickets and programs: Angie Campo, Gertrude Roberts, Mary Ellen Wood, Gloria Reichley.

The orchestra for the occasion will be announced as soon as the contract has been completed. Admission and theme for the formal will also be published at a later date.

### Business Society to Hold Rummage Sale

The Business Society of Susquehanna University will sponsor a bazaar and rummage sale to be held in the Styers Building on Saturday, February 16. At that time, a wide variety of useful articles will be available to the public.

Members of the society would be grateful for any contributions for the rummage sale and would be glad to call for them if notified. The representative in charge of the donations is Miss Hilda Markey, who can be reached at Susquehanna University, Hoesinger Hall—telephone 9040-R-3.

The Business Society cordially invites the public to take advantage of this bazaar and rummage sale, the proceeds of which will be applied to the Scholarship Fund that is being established to help deserving students.

#### ANNOUNCING . . .

On Saturday, February 2, Miss Agnes Rloridan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Rloridan, of New York City, was married to Mr. Walter B. Douglas.

Mr. Douglas was recently discharged from the Marine Corps is now employed by the New York Central Railroad Company.

Mrs. Douglas, who was a freshman taking the Business Course, was a member of the Business Society and the Student Christian Association.

Another recent marriage was that of Miss Caroline Marks, of 107 Ferry street, Danville, Pa., to Mr. William Wood, on Monday, February 11.

Mr. Wood is employed as assistant department head for the National Geographic Magazine.

### 65 New Students Include Veterans

Susquehanna University officially opened its second semester on January 20th, 1946, with an enrollment of about sixty-five students—the largest group ever received at mid-year since the opening of the University.

This group has exceeded by far the usual number of approximately twenty students that the college has been accustomed to handling in January of each year. Including the unusually large number of students enrolled since the fall term, the student body now totals approximately three hundred men and women—the usual pre-war number.

It has been estimated that about ninety per cent of these new students are veterans, among whom are two ex-WAVES, with the other ten per cent coming from civilian life. A number of the men are former students who were taken from the classroom at the outbreak of the war, and who are now resuming their studies under the educational privileges guaranteed by the G. I. Bill of Rights. The length of their schooling is dependent upon the period of time which they have spent in the armed services of the United States.

Registration of upper classmen was held Tuesday morning in the library, with Tuesday afternoon being reserved for freshmen and new enrollees. Classes began Wednesday morning, January 23th, at eight o'clock.

The Business Administration course can accommodate no additional enrollees as its capacity has been reached.

It is anticipated that enrollees for the fall term, beginning September, 1946, will also be very heavy—with a maximum enrollment in view. Waiting lists are now being compiled from applications already received from civilian girls and ex-service men.

The administration's greatest problem right now concerns the housing shortage confronting the returning war veterans, who had hoped to bring their wives with them to the vicinity of Selinsgrove. At the present time, there is on file at the administration office, a waiting list of married men who are searching for living quarters; but since there are apparently no vacant houses, apartments, nor rooms, these men have taken bachelor quarters at Selinsgrove Hall or one of the fraternity houses. The school officials have found it very difficult to place married male students in homes in the community, but are constantly on the look out for living quarters.

Several wives of service men have been seeking employment in this locality to help fill in the hours and provide an income while their husbands attend classes. Some families have transformed parts of their homes into light housekeeping facilities for a few students and their families, and have thus eased the serious housing problem slightly.

#### NOTE . . .

All Veterans please note that a representative of the Veterans Administration will be at the Selinsgrove Post Office on Friday, Feb. 15, to help you with any problems or questions.

—Buy Victory Bonds.



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## EDITORIALS

### WELCOME

Welcome!!! We, the staff of the Susquehanna, are extremely delighted to welcome the new students to our campus for this the second semester of the '48 term. We can not help but extend a special greeting to the 19 men who have returned to SU's campus who were enrolled here before the war. In quote form "we certainly are glad to see you back."

To the new Frosh and the other new students, our heartfelt welcome goes out to you as you enter a new phase of your life. We sincerely hope that your days on the campus at Susquehanna will be both beneficial and pleasant. You will soon learn that we are one happy family of students and faculty. We hope also that you will participate in all of SU's social as well as scholastic activities.

### ACTION NOW!!

Several months ago this typewriter pounded away at an editorial for the promotion of a student store on our campus. Since then the issue has seemed to have died for lack of interest. Are our editorials promoting something which the students and faculty do not want to see on our campus??? Let us recall to your attention the poll taken by this paper which revealed the fact that more than 75% of the students favor a "Coke Shop".

If we sincerely want a store, where students could meet and greet each other without going on a % mile hike down town every time the pharynx region calls for some nourishment, then let's do something about it. We have societies and organizations in our midst that could develop a plan. As the matter stands now, we do not know whether we are thinking in vain or whether our desire for a student store could be turned into a true and hoped for realization. Action... Action!!!!

### 'MAD RUSH

It all starts when the crowd comes tumbling out of the Chapel and Seibert doors. Across the lawn they run, whoops—no across the grass.

Yes, you've guessed it—the mad rush to the mailbox. After tripping along the sidewalk, passing all the innocents who are new at the game, you reach the entrance to Selingsrove Hall. You dash along with the maddening crowd only to discover that you have been carried away—way beyond where your box is—so you start the trek back. After elbowing, pushing, pulling, you finally make the vicinity of your box but, alas—that is only the beginning! As you stand there, calmly surveying the mass of humanity before you, to plan your best method of attack, someone comes along and knocks you to the side (You knew you should have worn your brass knuckles). At long last you see an opening to your box, if that fellow over there doesn't beat you to it! You push in with all the technique gained from long years of experience. Your box is, unfortunately, one near the floor. Cautiously, you start lowering to sea level—you made it! Your fingers gingerly turn the combination—but no—it won't work! Painstakingly, you try again—success! What—no mail, after all this? With a blood pressure that has dropped to zero, you slowly begin your ascent, that is, if the prison of arms will let you. Whoops, I guess you knocked her out of your way all right. (You have to keep in practice for the basketball season somehow.) Keep pushing, you are getting there—you've only had your hat knocked off! Still muttering to yourself over your lack of mail, you go to greet the on-rushing tide—but you want to get out. Carefully you look around to find someone of heroic proportions who will play tackle for you. All together—push! There's the door—air! Phew—it's all over for another day.

### G I NEWS...

According to reports from Washington, approximately one million service men and women of World War II will take advantage of the educational provisions of the G. I. Bill of Rights and of Public Law 16, and enroll in the colleges and universities before the end of '48.

## CHATTERBRAIN

Back to the second Semester grind and lots of news to keep it from getting too boring. We lost several very good friends—Rine Winy, Norma Hazen, Ross Johns, and Bernard Swlenki, thru graduation and Gayle Clark and Mary Gohl were unable to come back also. Good luck to you all!

The gals who stayed here over the Semester weekend seemed to have a good time from all reports. Jackie and Mel spent some of the time skating and Larri Briand and Blair Heaton found each other very good company (this relationship still exists, too).

In no time we were back to the old schedule again and going to classes as usual, only the classes aren't the usual—they have men in them! It really feels good to have the guys back, doncha think so, gals??

Social dancing has also taken on a new light with lots of new guys coming out for it. There's always room for one more, so how about it fellows, come out and slide thru a few, you'll find it's lots of fun. The new heartbreaker on campus that everyone is talking about is Harry Butts. Incidentally, in case you want his address, it's Bond and Key.

The basketball game with York Jr. College was really a thriller. At one time during one of the over-time periods—I saw some poor man being beaten to death by a couple of over-wrought co-eds!!

These dances after the games have really turned into something great. If you haven't been there already, drop around sometime and see for yourself. The food angle helps too—they tell me that Day's Dogs will go on sale again.

Did you know that the janitor on campus is a personal friend of Norm Gray's? How about it, Gray??

Speaking of basketball games, have you ever noticed Muriel Phillips in an exciting part of a game. She nearly knocks herself out—maybe Jerry is the cause of it—take it easy, Jerry, your gal can't take it.

Richard Barry entertained his girl friend, June, from Phillipsburg, Pa. She's a nurse. It seems some of the fellows helped him, or hindered him, should I say?

Now I'd like to say a word about the STRICTLY ACADEMIC boys of Phil Mee—Stowe and Moglia—it seems that they've been doing a little stepping out of late though with Marty and Naomi, respectively.

Russ Brown was back on campus to visit the fellows and of course Gayle Clark. Russ looked good, didn't he?

Right after semesters, Joe Taylor had Ruthe up for a few days visit at S. U. Seems she's quite the girl, how about it, Joe?

Harry Culp has been playing the field of late—first, it's Ann Wright and then Jean Matthews. I guess it's safer that way, isn't it, Harry?

Apparently G. G. Roberts is still carrying the torch for Ross because she still wears his ring and hears from him regularly. How is he making out, G. G.?

We wonder why Bob Radell bowls under the name of Joan—could it be the name of a certain taxi-driver who runs a line between Williamsport and Susquehanna???

Have you noticed the couple of the campus—Kramer and Zerbe? If you haven't, take a look—they're really sharp! The fellows say he gets a little lonely around 7:00 to 8:30—couldn't you do something about that, Jennie, we can't have the boy lonesome!!

Speaking of couples—here's one for readers to work on—what's the story between Mould and Davison? In case you wonder, Davison is one of the new Frosh girls.

Eby was off again to Cranford this week where Glenn just got back from England—pretty nice, to have him come in so often, isn't it, Eby? Her buddies, Herr and Williams couldn't amuse themselves with her gone—so 'hey are now having contests with Bolo bats and balls? What's the story, kids?

Which just about brings us up to this weekend—we had another game and dance and lots of new faces here.

LaYerne came up to see Mitch and raise his morale so he can go on for another semester; Stapp's man Paul came down to do the same for her (how about that, girls, he's a bit of all right, doncha think?); Stan Diets came to see Margie (this really looks as if it might be something to watch); Julie came to ignite the love-light in Smitty's eyes again—now maybe she can struggle through another month or so (I don't know why not!); Surplus came to see Ruthe and got a royal welcome as far as I can determine from what I saw; and John dropped in on Jane to make her happy, too. All in all I think this weekend was pretty well taken up, don't you?

Hilda had a birthday this week and her Johnny came up to help her celebrate at this weekend. They really looked out of the world at the game—I've heard they may make it permanent as soon as possible. Another old friend made an appearance this weekend—Bernie came up from Philly. Glad to see you, fellow!

This is the extent for now, but remember I can't write the news of the campus unless you make it! So it's not be bashful fellows; the girls would'n't mind a few dates, would you gals? Goodbye now.

### Girls Open Ping Pong Tournament on Campus

The women's ping pong tournament which was been underway for the past week will end on Feb. 5. The following are the participants: Frances Lybarger, Carolyn Graybill, Betty Smith, Gloria Reichey, Naomi, Gorman, Anie Campo, Gloria Walmer, Juanita Keller, Peggy Bathgate, Eleanor Steele, Peggy Mintz, Harriet Gould, Betty Ramer, Mary Shwarko, Mary Ellen Wood, Jean Kelly, Bobby Kain, Betty Frank, Elsie Thompson, Bobby Gatz, Carmen Beckwith, Emily Botdorf, Jane Gundrum, Ruth Williams, Jane Matthews, Jackie Gring, Ben Herr, Elaine Williams, Dot Gardner, Dot Wanbaugh, Adah Wolfe, Dorothy Wagner.

The winner of a round is determined by the person who wins two out of three games. Ten points toward the Athletic Association will be awarded for each game won. The Doubles will start next week.

### LOST & FOUND

Lost: One strictly academic student; now majors in campusology.

Wanted: The name and address of number ten on the Ursinus basketball team. Send all info to a certain red head who is still drooling.

Found: A scintillating new publication which threatens to seriously rival the Susquehanna. It is the Weekly Gazette published by James F. Scudder. (Editor worried.)

Lost: Lots of History books from the Lib. C'mon kids, put 'em back.

Found: A darling little poem named Shirley, who is wagging her way through college.

Lost: A student (Caroline Marks) to the Institution of Marriage.

Found: A new basketball hero. Rival teams will undoubtedly call him Maynard the Menace.



## Ex-Susuehannans Return to Studies

Among the students who swelled SU's ranks at the beginning of the semester are nineteen returned servicemen who were called to the colors from the campus and have returned to finish their course.

Richard Barry, of Altoona, Pa., until recently a captain attached to an anti-aircraft unit, resumes his studies after five years in the service. He left the campus in January of 1939.

Ex-Marine, Lieutenant Donald Bashore returns to college after a four year interim. Enrolled as a junior in the liberal arts course, Bashore is headed for a teaching career. He is married to the former Emeline Farum and calls Bloomfield, New Jersey, home.

Benjamin Bergstresser was one of the men who left for service in February of '43. He served as a private first class with the Army Anti-Aircraft Artillery and was overseas for two and a half years of three years of service. Bergstresser is a second semester freshman in the pre-ministerial course.

Jack Boyer, of Sunbury, served for thirty months in the paratroops. A sergeant at the time of his discharge, Boyer is now a sophomore taking business administration. He is engaged to Annis Miller, also an SU student from Sunbury.

Ralph Brown, a business administration student, is the second veteran returned this semester who hails from Bloomfield, New Jersey. He left the campus in February of '43 for service in the Army Air Corps and became a sergeant before his discharge. Brown's service record includes twenty-three months in ETO. He is married to the former Hermine Lampke.

Eugene Grandolini is a junior enrolled in business courses. He left SU in February of '43 for service in the Army Air Corps, saw action as a flight officer in the Second Air Force, and served for thirty-four months. He is married, lives in Scranton, Pa., and is preparing for a career as an accountant.

Eugene Gundrum returns to the campus to resume an interrupted business administration course. The Army claimed him in September of '41 and he served in the Ordnance for three years and was discharged with the rank of sergeant. Eugene saw action in Normandy and Northern France. He hails from Rockwood, Pa., and is a sophomore.

Blair Heaton, another Susquehannan who saw service in the Air Corps, is planning to become a teacher. Until recently a master sergeant in the Service Command, he is now a senior enrolled in liberal arts studies. Heaton left the campus in April of 1942 and served for three and a half years in the South Pacific area. His hometown is Pitcairn, Pa.

Edison James, a junior at the Conservatory, served for forty-four months in the Army Air Corps. He spent some time as a sergeant at an ATO station in India. His home is in Scranton, Pa. (Concluded on Page 4)

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## SOCIAL SLANTS

### Business Society Party

The Business Society held a skating party at Little Norway on February 2. The party started at 4:30 and lasted until 6:30, but most members chose to stay until later in the evening.

Supper was served at 5 in the lounge of Little Norway. It consisted of lettuce salad, baked beans, potato chips, and coffee.

The party was under the general supervision of Miss Allison and Professor Reitz.

### THETA CHI NEWS

Theta Chi National Fraternity welcomed the return to school of five of its members. They are: John Leach, of Selinsgrove, a music student; Robert Bowman, of Hanover, a Liberal Arts student; Stanley Nale, of Harrisburg, another AB student; Donald Bashore, of Bloomfield, N. J., a Liberal Arts student; and Eugene Grandolini, of Scranton, a student of Business Administration. Also two other members, Donald Leach and Howard Huges, both of Selinsgrove, shall resume their studies here in the near future.

In the first of the two formal meetings held this semester Donald Bashore was transferred from Beta Kappa Fraternity into Theta Chi Fraternity.

Art Glinett, the president, conducted the meeting at which Bob Bowman was elected vice president of the fraternity, Stan Nale was elected treasurer, and the duties of secretary were conferred upon John Leach. Dave Bomboy was retained as pigdamester.

Theta Chi has advanced from the position of tenth largest fraternity to seventh largest national fraternity.

### PHI MU DELTA NEWS

On January 15, 1946, the Mu Alpha Chapter of Phi Mu Delta held an election of officers to serve for the coming year. The following were elected:

President—Joseph Taylor  
Vice-President—Jerry D. Moore  
Secretary—Dexter Weikel  
Comptroller—Charles Mitchell  
Chaplain—Charles L. Lady  
Sgt-at-arms and house manager—Harry Welliver.

Thus far this semester eight former members of the Mu Alpha Chapter have returned from the service. These men are: Richard Barry, Jack Boyer, Blair Heaton, Vane Mingle, Richard Moglia, Jack Reichard, Stanley Stonelifer, and George Stow.

Weekly meetings have been reestablished and a thorough house cleaning has taken place. The exterior of the house is to be repaired and painted during the month of May.

### SCA NEWS

The February monthly Student Christian Association meeting was held in the social rooms of Sibelert Hall on February 4th at 8 o'clock. Miss Mar-

joris Stapleton opened the meeting with a discussion about the conference which is to be held at Susquehanna in March. Miss Stapleton urged all members of the association to work as hard as possible toward the aims of the organization.

Following this, Miss Hein spoke on the duties of the Student Christian Association. The duties of the members were made plain and once again the members were urged to give their fullest support to the S. C. A.

### KDP NEWS

On Tuesday evening, Feb. 5th Kappa Delta Phi received two pledges as members of the Society. The girls were Jean Kelton, Richmond Hill, New York, a sophomore, and Betty Frank, Great Neck, Long Island, also a sophomore. After the initiatory ceremony the girls received corsages and a regular meeting was held.

### HIGHLIGHTS

12th, Tuesday, S. C. A. Cabaret meeting, Sibelert, Hall 5:00 p. m.  
Business Society Meeting, Sibelert Hall, 7:00 p. m.

14th, Thursday, S. C. A. meeting, Rev. Corte, State College, will be the speaker. A Valentine Social will follow the meeting, Sibelert Social Room, 7:00 p. m.

16th, Saturday, Basketball—Wagner at S. U. Gym, 8:15 p. m.  
Vic Dance, Gym, 9:30 p. m.

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Bazaar and Rummage Sale, Sibelert Social Room, 2:00 to 9:00 p. m.  
17th, Sunday, "World Day of Prayer," Special Vespers, Chapel, 5:45 p. m.  
18th, Tuesday, Social Committee Meeting, Sibelert Hall, 5:00 p. m.  
20th, Wednesday, Campus Club Meeting, Sibelert Hall, 3:00 to 5:00 p. m.  
22nd, Friday, basketball—S. U. at Ursinus  
23rd, Basketball—S. U. at Elizabethtown  
Barn Dance, Gm, 8:00 to 11:00 p. m.  
26th, Tuesday, Formal Dinner, Horton Dining Hall, 6:00 p. m.  
Star Course, Casy Renardy, Chapel, 8:15 p. m.  
28th, Thursday, S. C. A. Colored sound movie, Steele Science Hall, 7:00 p. m.

### CRUSADERS WIN ONE, DROP TWO

Plagued with an epidemic of poor passing and loose shooting, plus the loss, by graduation, of Captain Swienicki, Susquehanna's court Crusaders dropped three out of their last four games.

Swisnack led the Crusaders to a 50-38 victory over Dickinson on the latter's home court. Bernie's 24 points in this game brought his season's total to 222 points for an average of 22.2 points per game, and made him the second highest scorer in the State.

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## Vets Return

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He intends to teach following his graduation.

Ex-paratrooper Albert Kaplus is now taking the pre-med course here at Susquehanna. He was called into the service in June of '43 at the end of his freshman year, served for three years and was discharged as a staff sergeant. While in the ETO he won five battle stars and the purple heart. Kaplus is from Newark, New Jersey.

John Leach, of Selingsgrove, is the second veteran to return this semester to the Conservatory of Music. He left the campus in February of 1943 and served for three years as a private first class attached to the Adjutant General. He is a junior and expects to be a music instructor after graduation.

Vane Mingle, formerly a first lieutenant in the Army, is a sophomore studying pre-law. He left Susquehanna in 1940 and served for five years and seven months including action with an anti-submarine patrol in Newfoundland and England. Mingle lives in Selingsgrove and is married to the former Margarette McMinin.

Richard Moglia continues his studies as a junior in the business administration course following service as a technical sergeant in the Quartermaster Corps in ETO. He comes from Glen Ridge, New Jersey.

Stanley Nale, of Harrisburg, is back at Susquehanna after thirty-one months in the Navy, with service in the European and Mediterranean theaters. Nale left in May of '43, and is now a pre-ministerial student of senior standing. He is married to the former June Bashore.

John M. Reichard was a captain in the Army Air Corps. He has junior standing and is taking the Business Administration course. Reichard left SU in 1939 and served four years in the Air Corps, for a time as Instructor in the Training Command working with B-29's. He lives in Pittsburgh and is married to Ruth E. Welsh.

Howard Solomon, of South Williamsport, Pa., was discharged from the Army as a T-5 following forty-five months' service. He left SU in 1941 and returned this semester as a junior. Solomon is taking the business administration course.

Paul Stettler, of Middleburg has returned to Susquehanna to continue his studies directed toward a teaching career. A sergeant, he served for two years with the Military Intelligence

Service and saw action in Europe. He left Susquehanna in '41.

Stanley Stonesifer, of Harrisburg, is a senior taking the liberal arts course in preparation for teaching. In June of '41 he left the campus for service in the infantry and is now on terminal leave. He saw action in five major battles in ETO as a major in the 30th Division. Stonesifer's wife is the former Harriet Mendenhall, who graduated from SU in 1941.

George Stow, ex-paratrooper, of Merchantville, New Jersey, has gone back to his studies after three years service including participation in three battles in the ETO. He was a private first class and is now taking the pre-medical course.

## CRUSADERS WIN ONE, DROP TWO

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In the first home game of the second semester York Jr. College eked out a 58-54 victory in two extra periods. Moore and Culp led the home team with 14 and 13 points respectively. The Crusaders fought hard but could not halt the scoring spree of the visitor's Chapply who took scoring honors for the evening with 26 points.

Ursinus was the next visitors to the Alumni Gym and they left with a 49-28 victory in their pocket. Displaying one of the best passing and shooting attacks that has been seen on the home floor they had things very much their own way for the entire game. Dave Gross's seven points represented the best for the local team. This was the first game for the Crusaders under the leadership of their new co-Captains, Joe Taylor and Blair Heaton.

In the first of their two games with Elizabethtown the final whistle found Susquehanna on the short end of a 62-39 score. Although completely outscored, the Crusaders were never outfought and battled desperately to the end. E-town exhibited exceptionally clever ball handling and the shooting Shirk reminded many of the famous one-handed stabs of Bernie Swencki. Once again Moore and Culp led the scoring for the Crusaders.

## CAMPUS LEGION

At the University of Oklahoma the first World War II Campus Post of the American Legion has been established. It is run by and for the student veterans who are enrolled at the University. The post operates under four main points—Adjustment, housing, educational needs, and financial needs.

## Debators Plan for Tournaments

The debate society is composed of the following members: Arthur Gelnett, Joe Willard, Alvin Glansburg, Charles Lady, Dale Troutman, Gloria Gasparoli, Martha Garard, Jackie Gring, Patricia Fry, Frances Lybarger, Grace Billow, Naomi Garman, and Marlon Robson.

Each week the society meets to prepare for the tournaments to be held in March and April. The first semester meetings were composed of a series of reports on magazine and newspaper articles relating to the question of free trade. These articles served as practice in public speaking, and were a source of information on the question. A list of reference books was likewise given so that a background of the question could be obtained.

The second semester meetings will consist of numerous debates between members of the society. This week's meeting will be held Wednesday at 8:00 p. m. The Society invites everyone interested to come to the meetings.

It is customary for a team to attend the Shippensburg tournament and the Pennsylvania Debators Convention held at State College in March. The Oregon style of debate is used and the topic for these debates will be: "Resolved that the foreign policy of the U. S. should be directed toward the establishment of free trade among the nations of the world."

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JITTERBUGS TRY  
SQUARE DANCING

The Barn Dance, a new experiment in the social events at Susquehanna, was held in the gymnasium February 23 at 8:00 p. m. It was greeted by the students as a novel idea and went over as a great success.

The caller explained all the square dances before they were played. As the caller shouted grand right and left many were amazed to discover they had two left feet. From 8 to 11 last night, the dancers became more and more convinced that the pioneers were of a harder stock than its moderns. There were also round dances which proved less strenuous and a relief to the students after a few old fashioned squares.

The faculty present were Miss Brosius, Miss Lamberton, Miss Unangst, Miss Kline, Miss Hein, Dr. Ahl, Dr. Robison, Prof. Reitz, and Dr. and Mrs. Russ. Most students came stag dressed in appropriate clothing.

The gymnasium was decorated as a barn with Elsie the cow in the spotlight. Refreshments were served and the dance ended at 11:00, another success for the social committee.

## THE CIGARETTES

Did you know that our campus has been invaded? Well it has—by whom? Have you noticed those small cylindrical white things lying around? That's who. They're called cigarettes—short for cigarette gremlins. You've probably all met the gremlins and know the trouble they cause—well, these fellows are twice as bad and although they don't reach high altitude, they certainly do get around. They are noted for never staying where they are put. Too often they have a habit of just lying around anywhere. Perhaps you have noticed them around Steele Science. They have an annoying habit of hanging up there and preventing doors from opening so that you can't pass from class to class. In fact, Dr. Robison's atomic physics class is working on the problem right now. (Good luck fellows—but leave the school!)

They get pretty artistic sometimes though when they decide to behave. (They only do it because they are so conceited and want to show off to their many followers.) The modern design that they have improvised in the pots in front of G.A.'s entrance is really remarkable.

But, as I have said before, this species of gremlin doesn't like to stay in one place. They have roamed all over the campus, even as far as the cottage and Haasinger Hall. (In fact, one day I even saw one behind a fellow's ear.)

Sometimes they work independently too, and like to investigate the walks. I meet quite a few snooping along there.

Now, I think that our campus is definitely threatened by this invasion. These fellows are getting too numerous—there is only one thing to do, and that is confine them. But oh—are they tricky! What we've got to do is put them in containers and make sure that they stay there, or else do them to dirt as the G.I.'s do.

We aren't going to let a few little gremlin relatives defeat us—come on—let's wage an all out war on them.

S. U. to Act Host  
To L. S. A. of A.Lutheran Students from  
East to Convene Here

On March 8-9-10 Susquehanna University will be host to a group of students from colleges located along the northeastern seaboard. This conference is held by the Lutheran Students Association of America and is open to students of all denominations.

The theme of the conference will be "Christ My Contemporary" and the sub-topics that will be dealt with and discussed under the main subject will consider the person as (1) an individual, (2) as a student, (3) as an American citizen, (4) as a world citizen.

The speakers will include such outstanding men as Dr. Winburn Thomas, General Secretary of the Student Volunteer Movement. Dr. Thomas is a returned missionary from Japan where he worked with Kagawa, the famous Japanese Christian; Reverend Donald R. Helges, "Don," to everyone, is pastor for Lutheran students in greater New York; Reverend Karl E. Mattson—Reverend Mattson is from West Hartford, Connecticut, and is President of the New England Conference Augustana, Synod. Dr. Bertha Paulsen, professor of psychology and sociology at Bryn Mawr Theological Seminary. Dr. George F. Dunkelberger and Dean Russell Galt of our faculty will also be leaders at the conference. Dr. Joop Bartels, who had been a leader of youth resistance in Holland, will be the banquet speaker.

On Friday evening the conference will open officially with the main address being given by Dr. Thomas. Following that a religious drama entitled "Ruth" will be presented by members of the S. U. Student Christian Association. To end the evening a candlelight hymn sing will be held in Seibert parlors.

On Saturday morning a Bible Study will be conducted by Reverend Helges. Forums will be held and Dr. Thomas will present his second address. This will be followed Saturday afternoon by a panel forum and conferences.

After the afternoon session, dinner will be served, and entertainment in the gym will be provided for all participants. Sunday morning a second Bible study will be conducted in our own college church. This will be followed by the morning service and communion.

The S. C. A. of Susquehanna University is looking forward with great anticipation to being host to the North Atlantic Region and we hope to make this the most successful conference ever held. The conference is bound to be overflowing with inspiration and information. Every loyal S. C. A. member should plan to attend.

Committee heads for the conference are: Marjorie Stapleton, general chairman; registrar, Marie Klink; hospitality, Jane Malkames and Jerry Moore; social, Marie Klink, Dave Bombo, Charles Lady, and Jean Strauss; publicity, Dorothy Stenat and Dave Bombo; transportation, Hope Spicer and Charles Lady; housing, Arthur Gelnett, Betty Jane Hirt, Eleanor Steele, and Dexter Welkel.

Mid Winter Formal  
Planned for March 2

The Inter-Society Inter-Fraternity semi-formal will be held in the gym on March 2, 1946, at 8:00 p. m. Tickets will be three dollars (\$3.00) per couple and the dance is open to the public. The predominating colors will be green and white to be in harmony with Saint Patrick's Day. Music will be under the direction of Ivan Faux. J. Malkames and A. Gelnett are the co-chairmen. Others in charge are: Decoration, H. Markey and R. Beckwith; publicity, B. Kain; refreshments, B. Smith; property and demolishing, J. Taylor and H. Foby; lights, N. Myers; tickets and programs, A. Camp.

Chaperons will be announced later. Tickets for the dance may be purchased every night this week at the desk in Seibert Parlors between the hours of 7:30 to 7:30. This will be the only formal dance before the Junior Prom in May.

## COMING EVENTS

Date	Time	Event	Place
Tuesday, February 26	8:30	Star Course	Chapel
Thursday, February 28	8:00	Intramural basketball game	Gym
	7:00	S.C.A. colored movie	Steele 100
Friday, March 1	7:30	Bucknell Jr. College at S. U.	Gym
Saturday, March 2		Auxiliary meeting	Parlors
	8:00-12:00	Dance—Ivan Faux	Gym
Monday, March 4	7:00	Phi Gamma Mu meeting	Seibert
Wednesday, March 6	8:30	J. V. Basketball game	Gym
	10:00	Lent devotions	
Thursday, March 7	7:00	Biemic Society	Steele 100
	8:30	Intramural Basketball	Gym
Friday, March 8	4:00-5:30	CONVENTION	
	7:00	Registration for conference	
	7:00	Mixer	Gym
	9:00	Religious drama	Chapel
	10:00	Candlelight hymn singing, Social rooms	
Saturday, March 9	7:00	Main	Chapel
		Seminar groups on the conference theme	
	9:30	W.S.C.F. banquet	
	9:45	Entertainment	Chapel
	10:00	Social	Gym
Sunday, March 10	8:30 a. m.	Communion	Gym
	9:00	Bible Study	Trinity
	10:00	Church	

Ossy Renardy  
Here Tonight

Ossy Renardy, brilliant young concert violinist, now a P.F.C. in the Army of the United States, will be heard here on February 26, in Seibert Chapel. In recognition of his splendid efforts on behalf of morals—he has given over four hundred concerts for his fellow soldiers and numerous Red Cross and War Bond concerts—the Army has given him permission to accept a limited number of engagements.



OSSY RENARDY

Renardy was born in Vienna twenty-three years ago. His talent was discovered by the distinguished violinist and teacher, Theodore Pashkus, who gave him his first lesson and has remained his devoted teacher, guide and friend to this day. The boy used to listen outside the window where Pashkus was practicing and would beg him for instruction. Pashkus finally took him in hand and developed the talent which has since received such wide acclaim.

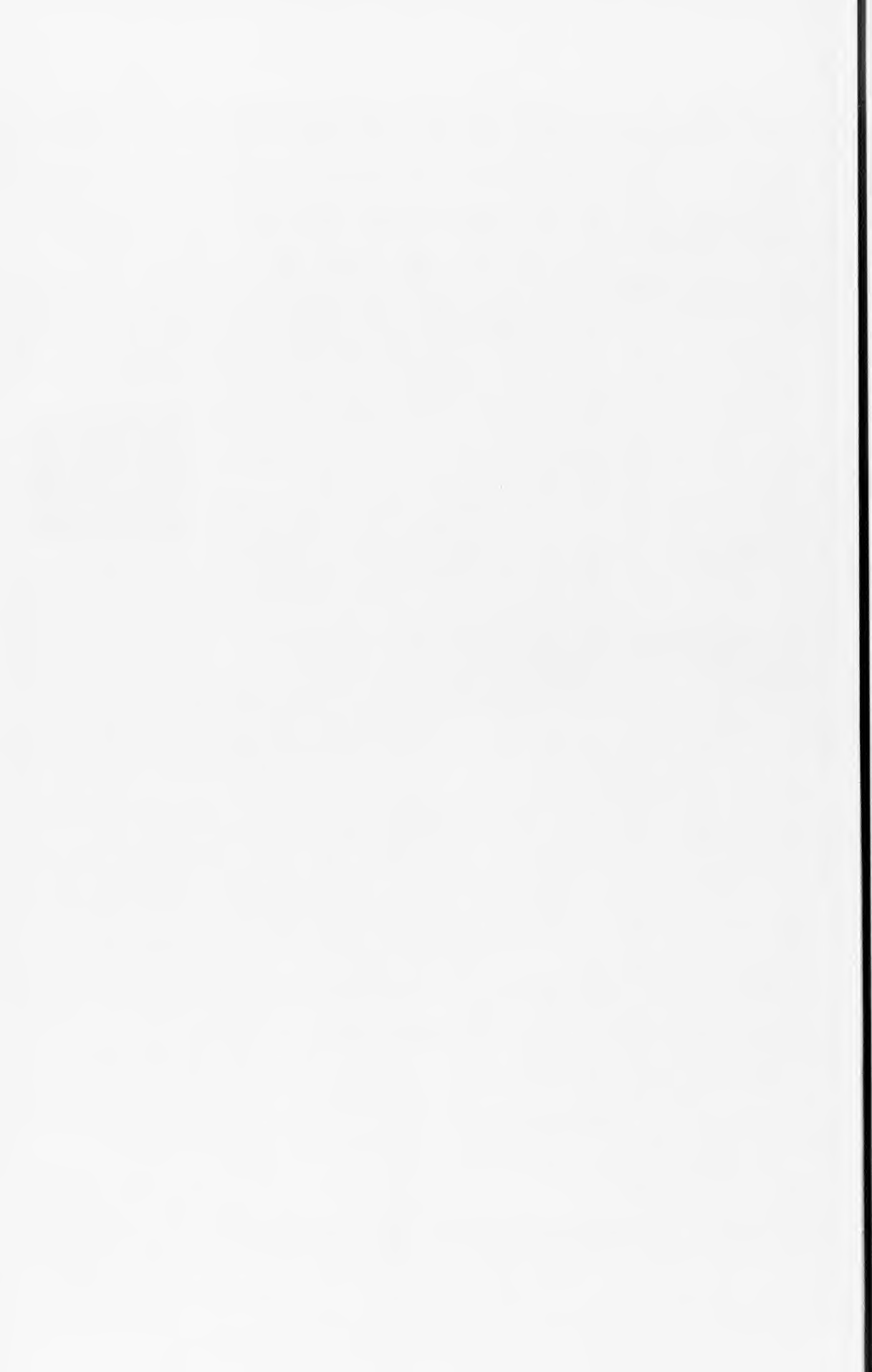
Ossy Renardy made his debut at thirteen in Vienna and completed several successful tours of European music centers before coming to America. He made his debut in this country at New York's Town Hall in 1937. Three young violinist's performances are notable for his distinctive programming, for his skill in presenting, along with universal favorites, compositions which have seldom received a hearing and in introducing new works. In his 1938 Carnegie Hall recital he played Paganini's Twenty-Four Caprices for the first time in their entirety, and at Carnegie Hall in 1941 he gave the first American performance of Joseph Blatt's "Concerto for Violin and Fourteen Wind Instruments."

Following his New York concert performance of the twenty-four Paganini Caprices, Renardy was requested by RCA-Victor to record them. The result has been the first complete recording of all the Caprices ever made. This recording was issued in commemoration of the centenary of Paganini's death.

Before Pearl Harbor, Renardy was one of the first instrumentalists to offer his services to the U.S.O. At that time the organization was skeptical about booking a concert violinist as an entertainer but at Renardy's insistence they took him on and he played seventy-five concerts for the Armed Forces.

## ODS NEWS

On February 13th the active and pledges of Omega Delta Sigma gave a buffet supper for their honoraries. The supper consisted of baked beans, potato salad, buns, potato chips, coffee, and cake. After the supper the honoraries held their monthly meeting and elected a new president—Mrs. Frank Ulrich to succeed Miss Betty Smith.





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## EDITORIALS

### We Wonder Why!!

Why do we write editorials??? Many an Editor has asked that question. Perhaps most of the editorials written are in vain. Especially if one reviews the results produced by them. One of the college Editors once had a bright idea. He wrote in the middle of a very important editorial, that the staff of that particular paper was giving away \$100 to any one who appeared at a certain place at a certain time. Not one person appeared for the money simply because no one read the editorial.

Now Chatterbrain, that's a different story. Everybody reads it. Why??? Are they searching for their own name or are they just so hungry for gossip and social news???

Our Editorials are not written to occupy space, nor are they written to keep our printers in business. They are written because we feel that there are certain problems on our campus as on other campuses that need attention. It is through these editorials that we hope to better the situation. If you do not agree with any of our ideas, we also run a column "Letters to the Editor," and we would be happy to hear your criticism.

### Brotherhood

Have you signed the pledge? It takes so little time and it means so much to you and the fellow standing next to you. Even if you didn't sign a formal pledge of brotherhood of all religions, it is not too late to do so in your mind and heart and carry out the promise to yourself through your actions.

National Brotherhood Week began February 17th and terminated last Sunday. It was sponsored by the National Conference of Christians and Jews all over the world. The purpose was for a better understanding among racial and religious groups. Dr. Everett R. Clinchy, President of the Conference, stated that this year the program na-

tionally "made the greatest step forward in our century to bring men from their feeling of tribalism into the greater sense of worldhood."

The leaders in the United States are behind the idea one hundred per cent and they are doing much to continue the drive. General Walnwright presented citations to outstanding citizens supporting the drive in San Antonio, Texas. Harold E. Stassen led the drive to promote the study of the methods being used to build brotherhood. Many leading organizations have backed the idea, and now it is up to every individual to show the same wholehearted support.

It is the hope for a peaceful world of tomorrow and you and I both want peace.

### Will You Help?

We the students of Susquehanna are proud to be the host of the North Atlantic Region of the Lutheran Student Association of America. On March 8, 9, and 10, 1946, the twenty-sixth annual conference will take place on our campus with "Christ My Contemporary" the theme of the meeting.

The seminar groups will be: (1) As an individual, (2) As a student, (3) As an American, and (4) As a world citizen.

The goal of the region is to have at least one delegate present from each local organization. Let us make these people welcome and show them how hospitable we at Susquehanna can be by treating them as we would guests in our own homes.

With an excellent program planned, fine leaders, and a group of able speakers, our conference is bound to be overflowing with inspiration and information.

Let's all back up our S. C. A. by giving our whole-hearted supported and interest to the L. S. A. Remember those dates, March 8, 9, and 10!

## CHATTERBRAIN

Chatter, chatter, chatter — seems that's all I can do. Mind getting the low-down on the latest campus doings? O.K., where shall we start?

First of all, S. U. lot two mighty swell fellows when Charlie Badger and Ted Davis left us. Charlie was accepted at Cornell. Good luck, mtn. Coms back and see us sometime.

Remember what we said before about G. G. Roberts carrying the torch for Ross? Well, did you see that torch burst into a flame when Ross came to visit G. G. over a weekend?

Rhoda Klemmons met "Jerry" in New York Friday night. In case you didn't know, Jerry is her one and only. Bet they really painted the town red.

Have you ever seen any one so excited over going home as Rennie Bortz? And all because she was going to see Bob. From all reports he's quite a heartbreaker.

Shirley Yarnall had a telephone call from California a few days ago. She insists that he's not "The One."

That Ongkar Narayan certainly is a "beau brummel" these days. Saturday night he was at the barn dance and enjoying himself immensely with Helen Smith. Heard someone say that he's taking Frances Savidge to the formal. Watch out for your girls, fellows—Narayan is turning into a wolf!

Peggy Bathgate persists in saying that Jimmy Burns doesn't mean anything to her, but have you seen that neat Pea-Jacket he gave her? And red roses, too. Me thinks she might lose her heart to the Navy yet.

Dot Reichly certainly was happy when her Navy Lieutenant called her. Saw a naval officer heading for Seibert Hall Saturday and if he's the one—goth, is he handsome!

Betty Miller got a wonderful box of candy from John Leach for Valentine's Day. We might even list them as belonging to the CCC Club—Cute Campus Coups. Saturday night they double-dated with Elro Hacker and Ralph Tietbohl.

Saw Peggy Minnier's folks coming for her Saturday. Believe Larry went along home with her. Such is true love.

Carolyn Graybill went home last week-end to date a former army lieutenant. Come on, Carolyn, break down and tell us more.

Sue Schadt went home again with Mary Shannon. Seems that the cute boy who lives next door to Shannon's is going in the Navy next week, so Sue and Don were having a last fling before he leaves.

Margie Stapleton and Paul were together again for the weekend. Believe they headed for Margie's home at Tamaqua this time.

Connie Black is certainly a popular gal. Friday night she went to the movies with Bill Ruhl, and last night her man came down from home to go to the barn dance with her.

Is it true that Bobbie Kain has switched her affections from Jigger to Bob Radell?

Say, did you see the two good-looking s'ray m'n at the Barn Dance? They are Miss Brosious' nephews, some one said. Anyhow, they quickly joined a "set" and seemed to be having a jolly old time.

Is it true that the good-looking blonde sailor at the barn dance is Helen Smith's brother? Where have you been keeping him, Helen? Do bring him around again.

Jane Southwick got a telephone call from Nelson the other night. He's going overseas.

Ann Wright went home again, because her sister who has pneumonia is worse. Here's wishing that Jane recovers soon.

Let's really make the Formal coming

up this weekend the best ever. Fellows, get yourself a date, drop in and cut a rug or two and the sweet music is really sweet! How about it—it's up to you to make it a good dance! I'll be seeing you at the dance.

Well, Art, which one shall it be???

We saw you loafing around several.

It seems Ellie Thompson spent a few anxious hours last Thursday night waiting for her boyfriend, Don from home, to find the Cottage. He finally got there and will probably be back, not only for the March 2nd dance but perhaps to stay. Sounds all right, Ellie!

If you really want to get in on some good basketball games—drop over to the gym on Tuesday or Thursday night and you'll see the fellows "B" league playing. They're really lots of fun!

Incidentally, the fans at these basketball games really get all excited. See Kreislinger, Larri Briand, Jeanie Wentzel were knocking themselves out on Thursday when Selingrove Hall dropped a close one to Bond and Key.

Jean Kelly has a new nickname as of last week—"Measles." Too bad, Jean but we all get them sooner or later. I've got my finger's crossed though!

FLASH! Ben's guy came back! She's been home to see him two weeks straight. Did you note the new glitter about her, things must be "all right" between them? More luck to you, Ben!

Harry Butts (who has been squiring Lil Kepner around of late) left for the wilds of Jersey with a car full. I'll bet that was some trip. The Cockranes, Hope Spicer, Pat Fry, Ellie Thompson, and Jean Wheat. See what I mean!

New couple on campus! Elaine Williams and Al Woodring have been sipping cokes in Reich's quite regularly of late. I hear they also have a big date for the dance. Atta Boy!

The Square Dance really turned out to be quite an event. Everyone seemed to have a good time. Dr. Russ and Mrs. Russ were there cutting a square, as well as Prof. Reitz and Dr. Robison. And the students were there in good number.

That boy who it seems has been a Wolfe all his life is taking out worn again. OK! OK! What about that, Francher and Doris? Nice going anyway.

Sunday a week ago it was just like spring. So everyone went walking. Down by the river was a favored spot but any place to catch the wonderful sun was OK. Every couple on campus was out, did you notice? I'm voting for a lot more spring days such as that.

Gene Gundrum is really making himself known around campus, how about it girls? Social dancing, walks to Reich's—Hmmm!

George has put his sign on Marty by a darling little pair of gold paratrooper's wings! Have you noticed, girls? They really seem to have something there.

Culp has found his way down to Hasinger and has been doing the town with Maisie Stout. I hear he's having some difficulty about the dance, though —it'll work out, Harry.

Have you noticed two flashes on their way downtown on Saturday at 12? It's just Brownie and Clark on their way to catch the train to visit their wives. That's all over for Brownie—his wife will be living in town from now on.

Then came the snow!!! Oh, woe is me! Hotrocks Willard, Radell, Taylor, Kaplus and a few others make life miserable for any one who tries to navigate between Seibert and any of the other buildings on campus. All in good fun, of course.

Goodbye Now.

—Buy Victory Bonds.



## Ex-Susquehannans Return to Studies

Allen Packman, a former student at S. U., has returned to the campus after serving three years with the U. S. Army. He held the rate of T/5 and served in the Pacific Theatre of Operations. Allen, a Sophomore, is enrolled in the Business Administration Department, and is residing in Selinsgrove Hall. He has the distinction of hailing from Atlantic City, N. J.

Howard Huges, who left S. U. during his freshman year, is back on campus continuing his pre-ministerial studies. The interim was three years service as a sergeant in the infantry including action in the European Theatre of Operations. Huges lives in Selinsgrove.

Donald E. Leach, another former S. U. student, returned to the campus last week. Don left for the service with the group of thirty Reserves in February, 1943. He served in the Engineer Corps of the army in the South Pacific area. Donald lives on S. Market St. and is registered as a Liberal Arts student.

## 'Ask No Quarter' By George Marsh

By GEORGE MARSH

This historical novel is the colorful story of a hot blooded young American, Hugh Jocelyn, sailor and privateer, in the days when Rhode Island was fighting for freedom against neighbors and foreign powers.

Hugh, the foster son of a poor fisherman, always had an ambition to go to sea; even as a boy. With Israel Brandy, the scarred and peg-legged master gunner, Hugh served as a gunner in the war with France. They were still together when Hugh rose to be Captain of a privateer fighting the heavily armed French ships. At the same time, Hugh met and defeated many of the Caribbean pirate ships, proving he had both superior courage and seamanship.

"Ask No Quarter" is an exciting portrayal of sea battles, but more than an adventure story, it is a rich authentic picture of the people of that time and how they lived. There is Dick Trellawney, gentleman and scholar in exile from England, who gave Hugh his education; Lettice Brinley, proud daughter of a proud family, whose hot temper and unthinking generosity played havoc with Hugh's life; lovely Seth Carr, who killed herself rather than have Hugh marry her after she was disfigured by smallpox; and Serena Brenton, the aristocrat, who alone understood Hugh, and the girl he finally married.

This is only one of a number of new fiction books which the library has acquired recently. Many are historical novels, the newer best sellers or recent biographies.

### NORWAY . . .

The great influx of students in American colleges can be matched in Europe where reopened universities in the liberated lands are experiencing unprecedented enrollments. The University of Oslo in Norway has some six thousand students, which is more than double the pre-war enrollment. Many of the students are back to school because of the aid of the World Student Service Fund . . . (Remember?).

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## SOCIAL SLANTS

### SCA NEWS

This Thursday's S. C. A. meeting has something special in store for us, namely, the movie, "My Beloved Son." This 33 minute film, following the account given in the Gospel of John, portrays the preaching of John the Baptist in the Wilderness, his interrogation by the Jews, the Baptism of Jesus, the calling of his disciples, some early miracles and the Sermon on the Mount. The closing scenes of this movie show Jesus teaching the Lord's Prayer to his disciples.

So much material is covered, in so short a film that the movie doesn't have too much teaching value; however, it will serve as an excellent review. The brilliant colors of the costumes and scenery add much to the film.

### THETA CHI

Theta Chi National Fraternity held a formal initiation meeting on Monday evening, February 18. At this meeting Richard Beckwith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Beckwith, of Oakmont, Penn., and Paul Bingham, son of Rev. and Mrs. Reed Bingham, of Thompsonstown, Penna., became members of Theta Chi.

After the meeting the group proceeded to the Dutch Pantry where dinner was served to all.

### BUSINESS SOCIETY

The Business Society of Susquehanna University held a rummage sale in the Styers Building on Saturday, February 16, from 2 P. M. to 9 P. M.

A variety of useful articles were available to the public, as well as to the students, such as: novelty jewelry, clothes, stationery, candy, greeting cards, and many other things. Some of the girls in the society made stuffed animals and dolls which were also sold.

Miss Allison supervised the sale and was assisted by the following girls: Mary Lizzo, Sue Kretsinger, Peggy Bathgate, Irma Strawbridge, Gloria Walmer, and Virginia Doss.

The proceeds of the rummage sale are being put toward the Business Society Scholarship Fund, which will benefit a future business student at Susquehanna University.

### BIEMIC SOCIETY

At the last Biemic Society meeting, which was held in Steele Science on February 7, Jim Clark spoke to the members of the group concerning his own personal experience with practical navigation.

At the next Biemic meeting there will be a movie shown entitled, "To Greater Vision," which tells the story of light and glass. After this movie, the members will study the stars and constellations under the guidance of Dr. Fisher. The definite date of this meeting will be announced later.

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### LOST AND FOUND

Lost: A girl student almost every weekend. It must be quite an attraction that makes Betty climb on that dirty old train so often.

Lost: Many voices at that super-duper game Saturday before last.

Wanted: A nice quiet entertaining girl who is good company. Applicants call 9229 and ask for Dick Barry.

Found: That Jane's John has a huba-huba brother.

Found: A human advertising agency for Carnation perfume. To place your order simply follow your nose—you can't miss.

Found: That Jim Clark knows more about navigation than we knew there was to know.

Wanted: A cook at Phi Mu—No cleaning—the boys do that themselves.

Found: A fascinating game. Have you learned to play Russian Bank or don't you have the time either?

Lost: A weekend by Mary Ellen "Timber" Wood. Solitude—Isn't it wonderful?

Wanted: Someone who can tell me why my feet wouldn't listen to the caller at the Barn Dance Saturday night.

Found: That Helen Smith's twin is out of this world. Lucky Lillian!!

Wanted: Everyone at the dance next weekend. Please don't go home again. It will be a greater success if you are there.

Lost: A lot of happy girls' happiness when the basketball team goes out of town on a Saturday night.

Wanted: Information—What has Larry

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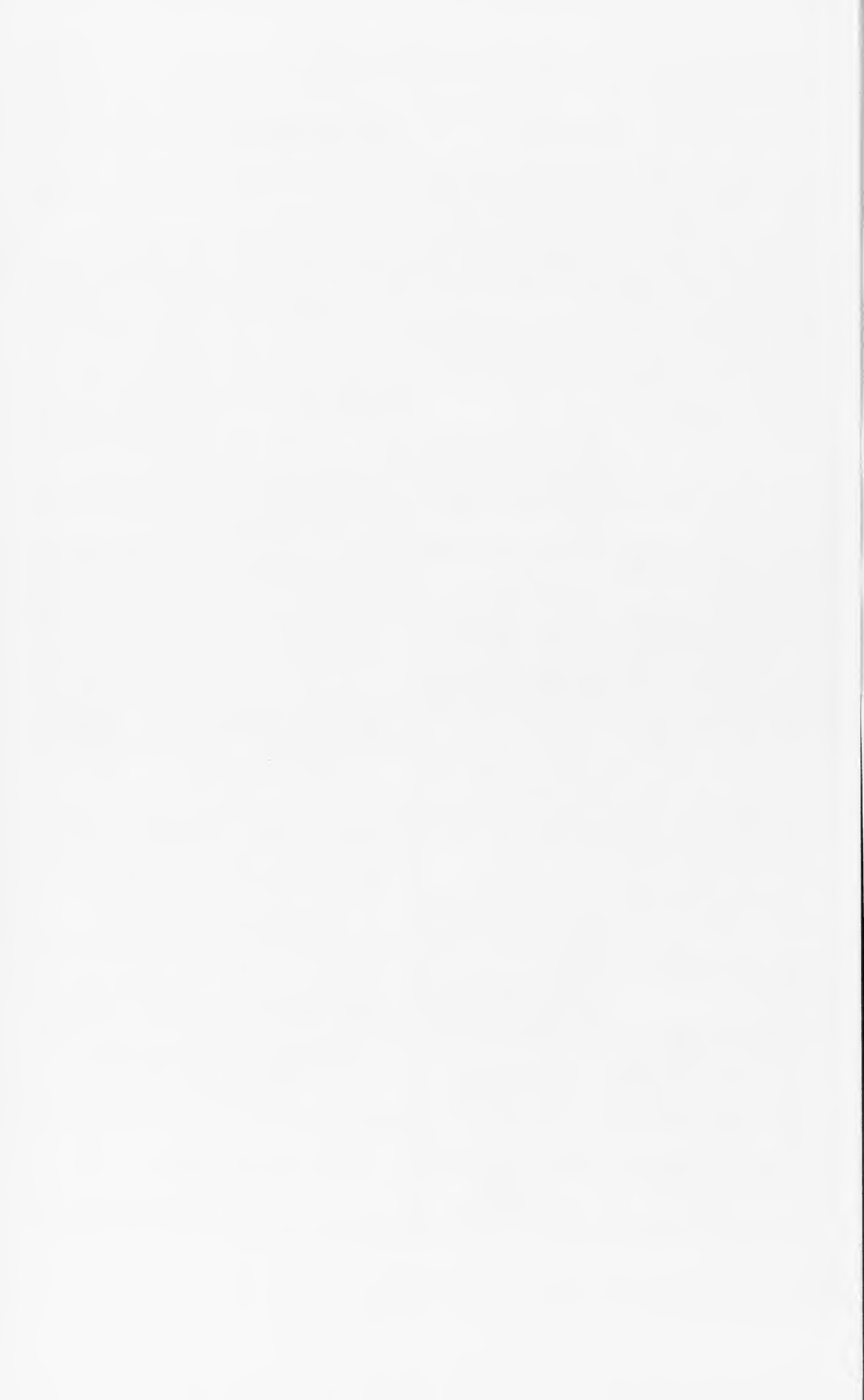
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## -SPORTS-

A boys' basketball tournament has recently been organized. Two games have already taken place in the Class B Division of the competition, and more are planned for the future.

The tournament is comprised of two divisions. Men with varsity experience will play in the A Division, while B Division is open to students who have not played in varsity competition. Each fraternity house and Selinsgrove Hall have entered one team in each division. The method of elimination is that of "Sudden Death," that is, each team will play each other team in the division once. In the two games which have already been played in Class B, Selinsgrove Hall triumphed over Phi Mu Delta 37-13, and Bond and Key eked out a one point victory over Selinsgrove Hall, 21-20. In this last game, two baskets were scored by Bond and Key in the last twenty-three seconds of play.

Thus, after a lapse of three war years, intra-mural sports are again being integrated into the athletic program of Susquehanna University.

## Ping Pong Contest Enters the Finals

The Ping Pong Tournament is entering its last stages this week. By the end of the week, the champion of the singles tournament shall be determined. With all indications, this will be a hard won battle. All of the first and second game entries have been either played off or eliminated, leaving only ten people to play the rest of the games. By Tuesday evening, February 26, the following people will play their games: Lybarger vs. Ramer; Campo vs. Walmer; Kain vs. Gaetz; Wanbaugh vs. Herr; and C. Beckwith vs. J. Gundrum. This will leave five people in the tournament, plus Adah Wolfe, who was given a bye on the last game. There will be three semi-final games, and the time and results of these games will be posted on the bulletin board so that anyone interested in watching these will know where and when they will be played. This will be before Thursday evening. On Friday we will have the final games to determine the champion of Ladies' Ping Pong.

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## Alumni Contribute To Building Fund

The alumni association of Susquehanna University has started a campaign to raise \$100,000 for a classroom building for our campus.

A special meeting was held in Seibert Hall, Saturday, December 1, at which the Rev. William A. Janson, of York, president of the alumni association, announced the plan for the campaign.

The following is the first report of the fund which was compiled February 8, 1946.

The Sunbury District Club is leading in the campaign with a contribution of \$1635. The Philadelphia District contributed \$310, thus putting it in second place.

Following is a list of subscriptions to date:

Altosna, \$25; Centre-Union, \$70; Harrisburg, \$375; Hanover-York, \$30; Hazleton, \$15; Johnstown, \$120; Lewisburg, \$120; New York, \$5; Philadelphia, \$510; Pittsburgh, \$295; Reading \$22; Selinsgrove, \$461; Shamokin-Mt. Carmel, \$40; Sunbury \$1635; Washington-Baltimore, \$95; Wilkes-Barre, \$65; Williamsport, \$315; Miscellaneous, \$84. Totals—\$4282, 78 individuals, 2 industrial concerns.

### ALUMNI NEWS

George B. Manhart, class of 1910, former Captain in the United States Army, has returned to DePauw University, Greencastle, Indiana, as professor of history. He was granted a military leave from DePauw University and while in the Army served in the capacity of historical instructor.

Colonel John W. Oberdorf, '34, of Selinsgrove, is on terminal leave and has returned to Los Angeles, where he will enter business and make his home.

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## World Day of Prayer

The members of Student Christian movements in forty countries make up the World Student Christian Federation. February 17, 1946, was set aside as a World Day of Prayer by young people from all over the world. Our own Student Christian Association is a member in this World Student Christian Federation.

Our Sunday evening vesper service was a special program with a central thought of world prayer of peace and thanksgiving. Gloria Walmer showed the importance of confession and placing God first in our lives and aspirations. On the thought of meditation, Eleanor Steele expressed the need of working together to heal the world's wounds, and to carry its burdens. Lenore Garman sang "The Lord's Prayer," and Dexter Weikel was organist.

The young people of today realize the importance and need of world cooperation, and the W.S.C.F. is doing its part. Every third Sunday in February has been set aside for this student world day of prayer.

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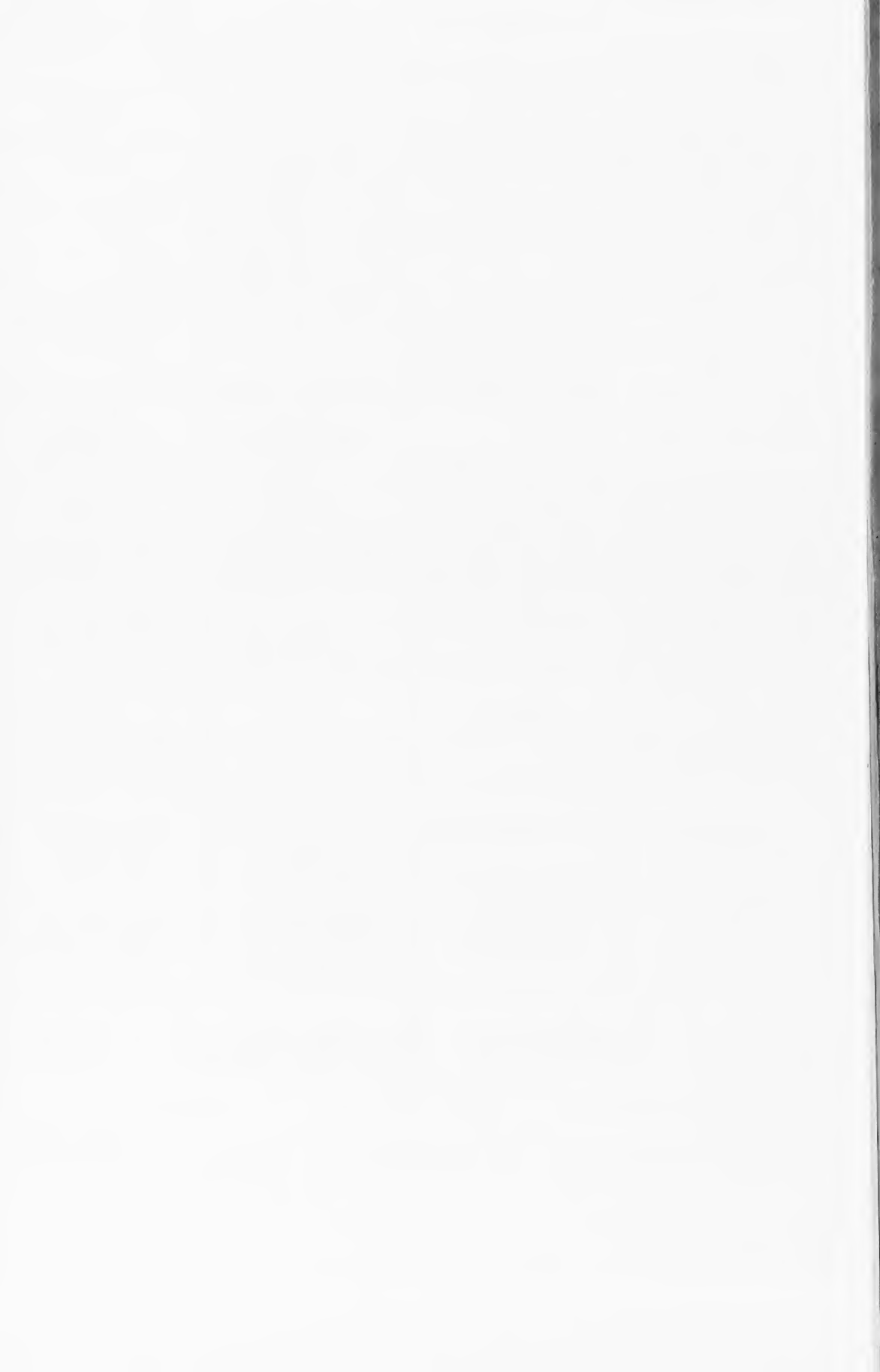
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## 20 Colleges Represented at L.S.A. Conference

### Dr. Waterbury New Member Theta Chi

Dr. Kenneth B. Waterbury, Professor of Education at Susquehanna, was formally initiated into the Beta Omega Chapter of Theta Chi Fraternity at the Chapter house on Wednesday evening, March 6. Dr. Waterbury is now the fourth active faculty member of the fraternity. For the initiation ceremony eighteen members were present, including the three faculty members.

Dr. Waterbury is a graduate of Lock Haven High School and received his A.B., M.Ed., and Ed.D. degrees from Penn State. Before coming to Susquehanna, he was teaching at Wesley, Jr. College in Dover, Del. At the present time Dr. Waterbury is a member of Phi Delta Kappa and Kappa Phi Kappa Honorary Fraternities. He is also an active member of the Masonic lodge.

After the ceremony of initiation the Chapter held its regular weekly meeting, which was followed by an informal party and dinner at the Dutch Pantry.

### DEBATERS PLAN FOR PENN STATE

On March 22-23, the Eleventh Annual Pennsylvania State Debater's Convention will be held at Pennsylvania State College at State College, Pennsylvania.

There will be eight or ten members of the debate team of Susquehanna sent to the convention.

Susquehanna has been assigned to one of the two committees on Peace-time Preparedness. There are three questions that will be discussed: (a) Free Trade, (b) Peacetime Preparedness, and (c) Fulltime Employment.

The members who are attending this convention will leave on Thursday afternoon, March 21, in order to debate the question of Free Trade with the Pennsylvania State College Women on Thursday night.

Friday is the beginning of the convention with a banquet in the evening and continues throughout Saturday.

The debate squad is also planning on sending two delegates to the tournament at West Point on April 13 and 14. In this tournament there are 16 colleges invited. The subject is "Military Conterction."

The scheduled debate tournament at Shippensburg State Teachers College was cancelled.

Members of the debate team are Gloria Gasparoli, Naomi Garman, Jacqueline Gring, Grace Billow, Patricia Fry, Marian Robson, Martha Garard, Frances Lybarger, Alan Giansberg, Charles Lady, Dori Troutman, Joseph Willard, and Millard Fisher.

#### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Columns of the Susquehanna are open to readers to express their views in communicated letters. All letters must bear the signature, not necessarily for publication but as an evidence of good faith.

### Mid-Winter Formal The Best Since '41

The gym was the scene of one of the biggest dances held on campus since the war. It was the Mid-Winter Formal sponsored by the Inter-Sorority and Inter-Fraternity Councils March 2nd. Music was supplied by Ivan Faux and his orchestra. The decorations were green and white with the sorority and fraternity banners hung on either side of the gym.

For the first time since the war the sororities and fraternities sang their songs. There was also a receiving line at the door. This consisted of Gable Spyer and Art Gelnatt, Jane Malkames and Norm Gray, Dr. and Mrs. Waterbury, Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert, Peggy Minier and Larry Weller, Betty Jane Herr and Fred Cook, and Dorothy Sternat and Bud Thomas.

Among the former students back for the evening were Larry Isaacs and Lou Kresge, Dale Bringman and Mary Moyer, and John Zuback and Ruth Hatoon. Also back were Jack Walsh and Jane Fry, Bob McFall and Sweetie Raudenbush, Jack Price and Herbie Holderman.

Those who attended the dance were: Virginia Cochrane and Robert Rank, Verdella Lee and Kenneth Merz, Marge Stapleton and Paul E. Wolf, Barbara Childress and Carl Fair, Angle Compo and Alex Thompson, June Hoffman and Joe Stutzman, Naomi Garman and Wm. Dickerson, Jean Matthews and Ken Rowe, Irene Bortz and Stan Mull, Hope Spicer and Dick Wagner, Carley Wist and Charles Kappenhauer, Hope Peters and Dave Bomboy, Isabel Kiss and Bill Lichtenr, Lee Cryder and Buck Hanna, Sara Lee Smith and Julie Golden.

Connie Black and Bill Ruhl, Janet Keller and Louis Kiss, Lillian Kepner and Harry Butts, Nancy Meyers and Don Kain, Jean Wheat and Ken Orr, Caroline Graybill and Gene Wagner, Ruth Williams and Dave Sterrett, Betty Miller and John Leach, Jane Southwick and Charlie Lady, Mary Ann Getzinger and Charles Mitchell, Gloria Reichley and Harry Johnston, Betty L. Smith and John Kaufman, Edith McConnell and Bob Krater, Doris Wabugh and Francis Wolfe, Elaine Williams and Al Woodring, Lou Rush and Jack Price, Dorothy Gardner and (Concluded on Page 4)

### Dick Barry Weds Miss Exley March 8

Richard P. Barry, of Altoona, Pennsylvania, a student in the Business Administration Department on our campus, was united in marriage to the former Miss June Exley, a laboratory technician at Warren Hospital, Philadelphia, New Jersey. The wedding took place at 7 p. m. on Friday, March 8, 1946 at the St. Matthew's Episcopal Church in Sunbury, Pennsylvania.

Mr. Barry was given a "stags" dinner by the brothers of Phi Mu Delta at the Colonial Tea Room on Tuesday, March 7th. At present he will reside at Phi Mu Delta, where he is a member.

### Esther Van W. Tufty To Speak at S. U.

Esther Van Wagoner Tufty, the well known Washington correspondent, has been chosen by the Susquehanna University Star Course Committee to lecture to the students and friends of the university at 8:15 p. m. Thursday, March 14th, 1946.

Mrs. Tufty was the first woman reporter in Washington to be accredited as a correspondent in World War II. In this capacity she was invited by the British Ministry of Information to cover the blitz of Britain from the target areas.

Since 1934 Mrs. Tufty has been Washington correspondent and political columnist for the Michigan News Bureau. This organization has 300 outlets, including a string of Michigan newspapers and the publications served by the Central Press Association and the North American Newspaper Alliance.

Esther Tufty does not need to rely on indirect sources for her information. She is acknowledged as the woman correspondent who has the widest acquaintance among the important people in the Nation's Capital. Not as her experience limited to Washington, for as a foreign correspondent Mrs. Tufty has visited 14 foreign countries, and her outlook on political questions is international in scope.

"Behind-the-Washington-scene. Seeing the Capital from the press box . . . its people . . . its confusion . . . the history-making moments . . . the laughs . . . How to read a newspaper. The news of the day . . . An appeal for everyone to be a world citizen." These, and other important aspects of the contemporary scene will be ably and interestingly presented by Esther Van Wagoner Tufty on Thursday night.

### Roller Skating Party To Be Held March 23

Have you heard? What? A Roller Skating Party. When? Saturday, March 23 at the Island Park Roller Skating Rink. The Student Christian Association is sponsoring for the benefit of its members an activity that will be packed full of fun and frolic for all. The price of admission to the rink will be the usual fee of \$35 per person. Transportation facilities to and from the rink have not as yet been completed, but it is hoped that the Association will be able to charter special busses for the evening. The busses will probably leave from Silbert Hall as soon after the evening meal as possible and will bring the students back to school at an hour later on in the evening. When definite arrangements have been decided upon, announcement of these plans will be made. This will be the first roller skating party of the school year, so S. C. A.'ers let's help to make it a successful one. Remember the date—Saturday, March 23—so come and bring all your friends and join in on the fun.

### Dr. Thomas, Elsa Aakre, Rev. Honeycut Speakers

The conference officially began when students of the Washington Area of the L. S. S. A. opened with devotions at 8:00 p. m., Friday evening.

This was followed with the opening address by Dr. Winburn Thomas, of the United Student Christian Council of America, who presented the main points of discussion for the theme of the meeting using "Christ My Contemporary" as the subject. Dr. Thomas brought to us the most common questions that he has come across asked by students in the various student conferences attended by him recently. They are as follows:

1. How can we accept the creeds in regard to Christian morals and why? Must we believe them in order to be Christian?
2. Is there a real conflict between science and religion?
3. Why do we have to worship in a church when we could worship just as well outside with nature?
4. How is it possible that Christ was both man and God?
5. Why do we have to believe and to integrate into our faith the death and resurrection of Christ?
6. Is the universe friendly?

Following this address, students of S. U. presented a religious drama portraying the life of the Book of Ruth. The play was brought to an end with a candlelight hymn sing in which many favorites were sung led by Rev. E. T. Korte, Student Pastor of Penn State.

Saturday morning began with a Matin service held in the chapel. After breakfast Rev. Donald Helges, Student Pastor of New York City, presented the Bible Study in which he gave to us a review of the Revised Standard Version of the New Testament as prepared by the American Standard Bible Committee appointed by the International Council of Religious Education. He outlined his reasons for this new version by stating that the Bible is the Word of God, and therefore should be as clear and forceful as possible to all people. Secondly, many important discoveries have been made in the field of manuscripts. This new version was compared to the old King James version. Rev. Helges brought out the three possibilities of revising the old version: namely, transliteration in which it is a copy of the original thought; secondly, paraphrase, or conveying the sense of the original thought; thirdly, and the best of all, translation in which the material is written in an up-to-date, understandable, modern language. As an example, he cited the word "thou" as reading the and you in the new translation.

The individual forum groups followed this Bible Study in which the various leaders with their groups met separately in their forums. The Rev. Earl E. Mattson, President of the New England Conference, Augusta Synod, led group one discussing the individual. Group two discussing the student was led by Dr. Helene Hartung, Professor of Education, Hunter College. Miss Frances Dyssinger, Executive Director of the Washington Inner Mission Society, led group three discussing the American citizen. Group four discussing (Concluded on Page 4)



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## EDITORIALS

### NOT FORGOTTEN

The L. S. A. A. conference is over and the delegats are on their way back to their respective campuses. We here at S. U. are relaxing and trying to get a bit of much needed rest. True, we are all physically tired. But there seems to be something which overbalances that fatigue . . . and something that is the food for thought which all of us who attended the conference received. We heard some thoughtful speakers who spoke about many "real ideas" which all of us need to think about. Nothing could have been more fitting than the closing words of The Rev. Carl A. Honeycutt, "Forward March." With these words in our minds and upon our lips we journey back to our daily tasks.

The University was proud to be host to this convention. The committees, faculty advisors, and many others, who helped in making this gathering a success, are to be highly complimented and graciously thanked for their honorable efforts. We who write, can only attempt to express in phrases and sentences, the many thanks to everyone. We are confident that all received religious inspiration as well as a further fellowship with many new friends. Orchids to ALL.

### RED CROSS

In all the horror and agony of the war, the Red Cross was one agency which sought to save, not destroy . . . one organization in which you could play a small, but helpful part. Your privilege is to see that its future work will always be done in peace.

There is still much to be done by the Red Cross. There are many wounded veterans who are in need of medical care, suffering children in Europe who need food and clothing, and many others who are in need of Red Cross help.

During the war, it was the Red Cross that reached the prisoners in concen-

tration camps, and made their miserable conditions more bearable. The men overseas had their morale lifted by the presence of clubmobiles and the cheerful workers in them. It was like having a piece of home brought to a small Pacific Island, the sands of Africa, or the icy shores of Greenland. The wounded were treated by the Red Cross when doctors and nurses were scarce, or unavailable entirely. The Red Cross made it possible for frenzied parents to write to their imprisoned sons.

In order to continue its good work, this organization needs your help. The way for you to help is to contribute generously to the current Red Cross drive. It has done a great job, and it does not intend to stop.

### Basket Ball Round-Up

The girls' inter-class basketball tournament began on March 5, 1946. The Freshman I played Sophomore I at 5:00 p. m. The game proved to be very exciting with the outcome in favor of Freshmen I with a score of 30-20. The second game of the day was played by Freshmen II and Sophomore II. The Freshmen II came out the victors with a score of 16-13.

On March 12, 1946, at 4:00, the Juniors will play the Seniors. Other games will be scheduled and posted on the bulletin.

The Freshmen I team is as follows: Forwards—Mary Dale, Sue Schadt, Frances Lybarger; guards—Sue Kretzinger, Muriel Phillips, and Mary Davidson; subs—Gabbie Speyer, Helen Smith, and Juanita Keller.

The Freshmen II team is as follows: Forwards—Maude Jones, Connie Black, and Jean Allemen; guards, Irma Strawbridge, Margaret Williams, Martha Lundall; subs—Larri Brand.

The Sophomore I team is as follows: Forwards—Peggy Miner, Bobbie Kain, Gloria Walmer; guards—Gloria Reichley, Naomi Garman, Ginny Doss; subs—Eleanor Steele, Hilda Markey, and Jean Wentzel.

The Sophomore II team is as follows: Forwards—Peggy Bathgate, Bobbie Oetz, Jean Wentzel; guards—Betty

## CHATTERBRAIN

"In the Spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to what girls have been thinking of all winter," and it seems that the very thing has happened at S. U. Let's get started on the latest chattering around-campus.

**Highlights of the Dance:** Did you see Mary Davison get thrown by the congo? All in fun of course.

Finally, we got to see Ben's Fred—and not bad either. She was in Heaven all weekend. Glad to see he got home to you, Ben.

Now we know why Jim Kimble goes home to Billtown every weekend. Did you see his wife at the dance—take it easy, fellows!

It seems that Bob and Ellie have found each other—at the dance, movies, Reich's, and walks on these beautiful afternoons—luck to you, kids.

What's this we hear about little Malkames? She has a new theme song—but why does she always get so embarrassed when it's mentioned?

Gene Gundrum was tripping the light fantastic with a former S. U.ite, Sally Mitke. They also did Shore Patrol around the Cottage much to the chagrin of some of the Cottagers. How about that, gals?

Did you see that hunk of man with Bobbie Kain—he was all three—all 6' 3" of him! He's a Marine just back from the Pacific. Nice going, Bobbie!

A couple of old pals, Mel and Julie, came back to see their famas—Jackie and Smitty. Mel had a car—and it seems Jackie had a little trouble driving it on Sunday—run into anything, Jacki'?

Did you get a good look at the reason for Betty Frank's frequent visits to N. Y.? That was the one and only Harry, and it looked pretty sharp from where I was!

The Open Houses at intermission really turned out swell. It solved the problem of finding somewhere to go. Most of the entertainment there consisted of more dancing and eating. Let's have more of those!

Can't keep up with some of the news on campus but I'll do my best. Jigger has been dating Bubbles pretty steadily—in fact, did you see the jacket he's sporting—it's hers. Dave Sterrett is still playing the field.

Cooper has been seen in front of Seibert quite a bit of late—haven't been

Frank, Eleanor Steele, and Lois Dauberman.

The Junior team is as follows: Forwards—Adah Wolfe, Dottie Wagner, and Helen Lepley; guards—Lee Cryden, Nan Myers, Edith Kemp, and Ruth Williams.

The Senior team is as follows: Forwards: Marjorie Barton, Gloria Gasparoli, Selma Lehman, Jane Malkames; guards—Ben Herr, Carmen Beckwith, Jean Wheat, and Emily Bortdorff.

### BASKETBALL STATISTICS

Games won—four, lost—fifteen.

Points scored—S. U. 810, opponents 1050.

Name	Field Goals	Foul Tls.	Pts.	Gd. Pts.
Swienicki	87	48x 63	762	222 11 20.2
Moore	68	10x 37	432	152. 19 8.0
Culp	43	37x 73	507	123 16 8.5
Gross	44	31x 55	563	119 19 6.7
Gray	23	24x 49	469	70 19 3.3
Heaton	15	8x 23	348	38 8 4.8

Follows						
	16	6x 15	.400	38	18	2
Taylor	5	9x 19	.474	19	19	1
Zerbe	4	2x 2	1.000	10	6	1
Kaplus	2	2x 2	1.000	6	3	2
Backwith						

able to figure out who the attraction is—but we'll see as time goes on! Who is it, Coop?

**FLASH!** Dick Barry took the plunge and was married Friday night to his gal friend, June. The wedding was in Sunbury and you can't tell me that he wasn't nervous. Best o' luck to you both!

Eby went tearing off to spend a few hours with Glenn before he pulled out again—from what I hear this is his last trip—right, Eby?

Marge Herman is so-o-o lucky to have a man in town—and from all reports it's "the" man. I heard rumors of a ring in the very near future. What a lucky gal. Rings and nylons—not bad, eh girls?

Dinner Dates. Gustafsen took one of our WAVES, Peg Latta, out last week and Al Woodring took June Hoffman. We ought to have more of that sort of thing, don'tcha think, gals?

The truth comes out—you know why Brownie brings his wife to the basketball games—not only to cheer for him but also to help him home after it's all over.

After all the nice weather along comes a lousy night like Friday. All those kids who walked home in the rain. Tch! Tch!

Can't decide whether it's Riley or Heaton or Larri. Can anyone help me out??? Sure is puzzling!

Red Neidich (who was here last year) came back for a weekend. He and several others (Gasparoli, Dankman, Day, Glanzburg, and Heithoff) put in a collect call to Corinne Frey in N. Y. Seems there was a bit of confusion for awhile but the call finally went through and they got their party. More fun!

Have you ever seen anything like it—in Barnume or anywhere? I'm talking about the "Mock Wedding." Carmen Beckwith stole the show—will you tell me where she gets all those ideas? Eby really looked like a doll—the only straight one of the bunch—except Straight-Faced Sternat, who tied the knot.

By the way, better take in some of these basketball games this week—they're playing the "A" league now and it promises to yield lots of fun and laughs. Anything for laughs!

Be seeing you next issue if spring fever doesn't get me first!

### CAMPUS CALANDER

Date	Event	Time
March 12, Tuesday	Alpha Psi Omega, 8:00	
Business Society meeting	7:00	
March 13, Wednesday	Fraternity meetings, 7:00	
Intra-mural basketball	8:30	
Lenten devotion	10:00	
March 14, Thursday	S.C.A. meeting, 7:00	
Star Course	8:15	
March 15, Friday	Recital Class, 4:15	
March 18, Monday	Evening Recital, 8:15	
Intra-mural basketball	8:30	
March 20, Wednesday	Campus Club meeting, 3:00-5:00	
Intra-mural Basketball	8:30	
Lenten devotions	10:00	
Fraternity meetings	7:00	
March 21, Thursday	Debate at Penn State	
Guild meeting at Trinity	7:30	
March 23, Saturday	Roller Skating, S.C.A., 8:00-11:00	
March 26, Tuesday	Social Committee meetings, 5:00	
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## Visitors Views

Robert Beharry, of Gettysburg College, an exchange student from British Guiana, believes that these young people's conferences are a very important phase of student development. Mr. Beharry feels that the young people of today are capable of solving the world's problems. It is his opinion that Student Christian Conferences are a necessary factor in aiding the youth of the world in attaining their goal—complete toleration on a "world-citizen" basis.

Evelyn Clazre, a representative of Wilson College, is of the opinion that Student Conferences are important toward developing individual faith.

Ada May MacFarland, alumna of Drexel Institute, has attended many conferences, but she especially likes this conference because of the friendliness of the Susquehanna students.

Laura Leitzel, of Lock Haven State Teachers College, feels that much will be accomplished by an annual youth conference.

Marie Witman of Albright College, is convinced that the Lutheran Student Organization can do much toward the attainment of more International Youth Conferences if the college students continue to support the coming U.L.C.A. conferences as well as they have supported this one.

Mr. Keener, of Gettysburg College, thought that this U.L.C.A. Conference, as well as the other conferences he had attended, was both informational and inspirational. He believes that this conference was in one respect, unique, that was in its clever entertainment. He said that it required a great deal of planning and thinking to present the entertainment program given on the second evening of the conference.

Many other students expressed their opinions of Susquehanna. One student was particularly impressed by the friendly welcome of the reception committee. All the students seemed to be impressed by S. U.'s friendly attitude, not only to those students from visiting colleges, but also between our own student-body.

## Pres. Smith Attends Council of Churches

President G. Morris Smith attended a special meeting of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America held at Columbus, Ohio, from March 4 to March 7. He was one of fourteen commissioners to the Council appointed by the United Lutheran Church in America.

This special convention, representing 250,000 Protestant churches in the United States, was called to consider pressing problems of today which were attacked under five general headings: (1) Evangelism, (2) Community tensions, (3) Returning servicemen and women, (4) Foreign relief, and (5) World order.

President Smith was connected with the fifth problem as a member of the commission on a just and durable peace. The chairmanship of the commission was held by John Foster Dulles, prominent international lawyer and outstanding Christian layman. The report of the commission was published in full in the New York Times issue of March 8.

## Women's Ping Pong

The Women's Singles Championship was won last Thursday evening by Bobbie Kain. She defeated Fran Lybarger 21-17, 21-15. Other runners-up were "Timber" Wood, D. Wanbaugh, and A. Campo. Carmen Beckwith was in charge of all games. The doubles will start next week.

## SOCIAL SLANTS

### Business Society

The Business Society of S. U. will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday, March 12, in the form of a St. Patrick's Day party. There will be decorations, refreshments, and entertainment—plus a big surprise for all attending. The business meeting will begin at 7 with the party following in the Social Rooms of Subert Hall.

The committees are working hard to make this meeting a success so won't you come and have some fun? A cordial welcome is extended to all members of the society, and an "extra-special" invitation is extended to the returned Vets and their wives.

### Bienic Society

The Bienic Society meeting, held March 7th in Steele Science, showed a sound film, which told all about mass and its effects on light. It showed the many uses of lenses for such instruments as microscopes, binoculars, and telescopes, used in the last two wars. Optical Science is fast becoming a large specialized field, with many improvements yet to be made. The large telescope now under construction in California is just one example of the precise exactness required for delicate scientific instruments.

Following the film, Dr. Fisher explained the different phases of the moon in coordination with the rotation of the earth. The 6th of March was the date that the moon was nearest the earth. Dr. Fisher also said that Mercury and Venus, the evening stars, can be seen this week at dusk in the western skies.

The society observed a few of the constellations, including Gemma Cassiopei as Chair, Pleiades, Orion, and Ursa Major. The most emphasis was placed upon the Constellation Gemma. This is shaped as a quadrangle formed by the planets Jupiter and Saturn, and the Stars Castor and Pollux.

The most beautiful star observed by the group was Sirius, the brightest star in the heavens; it shines with a clear blue twinkle.

### Phi Mu Delta

On Sunday, February 17, 1946, a pledging ceremony was held for Richard Kock Wagner, of Selinsgrove, Pennsylvania. Following the ceremony the brothers assembled at Reich's for a celebration.

During the intermission of the March 2nd Winter Formal Dance, Phi Mu Delta played host to over seventy of those in attendance at the Chapter House. Refreshments were served and a sociable time was enjoyed by all present.

A number of the returning brothers present for the dance included Herb Holderman, Larry Isaacs, John Kocsis,

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### SU's Expansion

Susquehanna University anticipates fully occupied dormitories and fraternity houses by the fall of 1946. Certain rooms now vacant are necessarily so because they are reserved for students who are expected to enter college in the not too distant future.

According to a study now going on an adequate facility and administrative force will require the addition of seven or eight more people.

### Dr. Foelsch of Chicago Speaks at Vespers

At Vespers Sunday evening, March 3, Dr. Charles Foelsch, of Chicago, was guest speaker. He was introduced by President Smith. Dr. Foelsch, former Public Speaking teacher at Susquehanna, spoke on Faith and its everyday appliance.

His subject was taken from the New Testament Book of Hebrews, chapter 11, which deals with the fruits of Faith. In his talk he gave examples of Faith as illustrated by Abel, Noah, Abraham, and Jacob.

Dr. Foelsch was pastor at Zion Lutheran Church, Sunbury, from 1934 to October 1940. He then was pastor at the Luther Place Memorial Church, Washington, D. C. He is now president of the Luther Theological Seminary, Maywood, Illinois.

Dr. Foelsch spoke at Zion Church last weekend. He also gave two addresses Monday, March 4 at the Pre-Lenten Retreat in Sunbury. Dr. Foelsch is on the executive committee of the United Lutheran Church of America.

### Sister Dorothy Goff Visits S. U. Campus

A tea was sponsored by the Student Christian Association, February 28, from three to five in Seibert Parlors in honor of Sister Dorothy Goff, who was visiting on campus a few days. All students interested in the work of the Lutheran church and service work were invited. Sister Goff gave personal attention to these students, she told of her training and of her present duties and work.

Sister Dorothy was graduated from Susquehanna University and taught mathematics in the Selinsgrove High School three years following graduation. She received her master's degree from Columbia University and later attended the Biblical Seminary in New York City. She was graduated a sister from the Lutheran Motherhouse in Baltimore and is now Dean of the Training School at the Baltimore Motherhouse.

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## 20 COLLEGES REPRESENTED AT L. S. A. CONFERENCE

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ing the world citizen was led by Dr. Russell Galt, Dean, S. U.

After the forum groups, in his second address, Dr. Thomas stressed two main facts: that we should know ourselves, and know the world in which we live.

After a second meeting of the individual forum groups, all L. S. A.ers met for a panel discussion of the four groups. Dr. Thomas headed the discussion and the leader of one representative from each group participated in the panel forum. The representatives were: Group one, Celo Letzel, student Mt. Airy Seminary; Group two, Mary Ellen Wentz, student University of Maryland; Group three, Ensign William Ruth, student Mt. Airy Seminary; Group four, Gloria Walmer, student S. U.

The main problems at issue were concerning race, Hebrews, alcoholism, labor and management, and inter-national relationships. As a final solution to these problems, sanctified common sense covers all which includes the Word of God, Holy Spirit, prayer, submission, and authority.

This conference included students from many colleges in the North Atlantic Region, Gettysburg College, University of Pennsylvania, George Washington University, and Temple are a few of those represented.

Other important guests who presided over meetings were Arthur Ruths, President, L. S. A., from Gettysburg Seminary, and Barbara Anderson, Vice-President, Penn State and University of Wisconsin. Student Pastor, George Washington University, and Dr. C. P. Harry and Miss Mildred E. Winston from the Executive Board of the United Lutheran Church in America, were also present.

Miss Barbara Anderson presided over the meeting held Saturday evening in which Dr. Harry talked on Personal Living. Arthur Ruths spoke on Lutheran Student Action. Miss Elsie Aakre from Celo and Temple Universities, spoke of Suffering and Miss Anderson concluded by speaking on the W. S. C. F. The evening was brought to a close on a lighter note by the presentation of a mock wedding by S. U. students.

The convention came to a close on Sunday morning with a Bible study class conducted by Pastor Helges, which was followed by a Holy Communion service conducted by the Rev. John Heller, local pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church. The final stage for the three

day affair was the morning worship service with the sermon by the Rev. Carl A. Honeycutt, pastor at Zion Lutheran church of Sunbury.

## MID-WINTER FORMAL THE BEST SINCE '41

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Herbie Holderman, Peggy Bathgate and Jim Burns, Ann Malkamts and Bill De Mire, Jean Strausser and Howard Solomon, Eleanor Steele and Blair Heaton, Hope Harbison and Bill Kier, Carol Stetely and Pete Beck, Emma Lou Gordon and Jigger Dall Vechia, Elro Hacker and Ralph Tielbohl, Sally Mitke and Gene Gundrum, Pat Fry and Warren Outbridge, Irma Strawbridge and Wayne Schrist, Gloria Gasparoli and Johnny Loto, Elaine Laks and Sam Zainbato, Bobbie Kaln and B. Kipp, Gloria Walmer and Dex Weikel, Marty Shawwarko and George Stow, Ann Gibson and Kenneth McCracken, Betty Frank and Harry Peyser, Muriel Phillips and Jerry Moore, Frances Savage and Ongkar Narayan, and Anne Spire and Harry Welliver.

Horriet Gould and Dale Clapper, Emily Boddorf and Al Packman, Marie Stout and Harry Culp, Joan Apple and Rine Winey, Marion Robson and John Gow, Mary Davison and Sam Quigg, Fran Lybarger and William Lybarger, Betty Reisch and Ken Jones, Gaynelle Wagner and Harold Landis, Hilda Marky and John Kocsis, Larri Bland and Jim Riely, L. Scott and B. Toley, M. Jones and S. Hovoshak, Naomi Day and Dick Moglia, Jackie Braveman and Mel Levinger, Carmen Beckwith and Wm. Beckwith, Marjorie Dible and Howard Hugs, Jeanette Kramer and Maynard Zerbe, Elsie Thompson and Bob Fellows, Louise Schlick and Herb Shultz, Mary Lizio and Luther Herrold, and Jean Kelton and A. A. Stagg, Jr.

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## PHI MU VICTOR

Phi Mu Delta started the A League contest off with a bang when they trounced the boys from Selinsgrove Hall 47 to 21. It was Jerry Moore and Harry Culp that kept it hot for the S-lingsgrove Hall men as they scored 12 and 11 points respectively.

Selinsgrove Hall	Fd.G.	FLG.	Pts.
Johnson, f	2	0x0	4
Poust, f	2	1x2	5
Winters, c	2	0x0	4
Reilly, g	0	0x0	0
Kimble, g	3	0x0	6
Solomon, g	1	0x1	2
Totals	10	1x2	21
Phi Mu Delta	Fd.G.	FLG.	Pts.
Moore, f	5	2x3	12
Zerbe, f	3	1x2	7
Stonsifer, c	4	0x0	8
Schrist, c	1	0x0	2
Taylor, g	3	0x0	6
Culp, g	5	1x2	11
Lady, g	0	1x1	1
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## Williard 1st Vice-President of '46 Convention

### Tau Kappa Alpha Initiates Three

Friday afternoon, March 15, at four-thirty o'clock, Gloria Gasparoli, Naomi Garman and Arthur Gelnett were initiated into Tau Kappa Alpha, National Honorary Debating Society. Dr. George Dunkelberger and Dr. Russell Gilbert, faculty members, officiated at the ceremony.

Gloria Gasparoli, is a senior Liberal Arts student from Marlboro, New York. She is a member of Alpha Psi Omega, Omega Delta Sigma, Women's Athletic Association, and Associate Editor of the *Susquehanna*. In the past two years, Miss Gasparoli, has attended the Annual Tournament of Debating Colleges at Shippensburg State Teachers College and the Annual Pennsylvania State Debator's Convention at Pennsylvania State College. There have also been tournaments on *Susquehanna's* campus with neighboring colleges in which she participated.

Naomi Garman is a Sophomore Liberal Arts student from Richfield, Pennsylvania. Miss Garman is the only lowerclassman to be initiated from *Susquehanna*. This past weekend Miss Garman and Miss Gasparoli attended the Debator's Convention at Pennsylvania State College. Miss Garman is a member of Omega Delta Sigma and the Women's Athletic Association.

Arthur Gelnett, editor of the *Susquehanna*, is a senior Liberal Arts student from Selingsgrove. He is President of Theta Chi fraternity. Mr. Gelnett returned to *Susquehanna* last year after serving in the United States Army.

To be eligible to join Tau Kappa Alpha, the student must take part in a minimum of debates and be a Sophomore in scholastic attainments.

### Fraternity Senate Plans for Rushing

At a Fraternity Senate meeting on Friday, March 22 in Dean Galt's office, plans were made for a "rushing program" for the second semester of 1946. The following resolutions were adopted by the Senate: (1) All men students who are interested in a fraternity are asked to register and deposit a rushing fee of \$1.00 at the registrar's office, (2) Rushing begins at 8:00 a.m. on Monday, April 1st and continues until 11:59 p.m., Friday, April 6, (3) Tuesday night will be Phi Mu Delta night, Wed. night is reserved for Theta Chi, and Thurs. for Bond and Key, (4) a fact finder on all three fraternities will be given to each man who is interested in a fraternity, (5) A quota system will be ineffect whereby each fraternity will be permitted to pledge a certain amount of men.

Those who were present at the meeting were Larry Weller and Prof. Lindebaugh from Bond & Key, Dr. Dunkelberger and Art Gelnett of Theta Chi, and Dr. Russ and Joe Taylor, Phi Mu, and Dean Galt.

Art Gelnett gave a report on the financial results of the dances held by the Inter Sorority-Inter Fraternity Councils.

### ESTHER TUFTY SPEAKS AT S. U.

"My very first job in the field of journalism was that of joke editor on my high school paper," said Esther Van Wagoner Tufty, well known journalist of Washington, D. C. during an interview on Thursday evening, March 14.

"However, I received my first real taste of newspaper work at the age of 16 when I got a job on *The Pontiac Daily Press* back home in Michigan.

Mrs. Tufty worked on a paper in Evanston, Illinois and later became affiliated with a syndicate of papers throughout Michigan.

"My role as a newspaper correspondent came when I joined my husband in Washington, D. C. I enjoy this work immensely because it gives me the opportunity of meeting so many interesting people."

Mrs. Tufty spoke on "Washington Today" and described the profound impression which a press conference makes upon her.

"After our press cards have been checked by the F. B. I., we enter the room and there at the opposite end stands the president of the United States. There is a question period which Mr. Truman answers each question candidly and frankly. Something like a press conference makes one appreciate the right of freedom of speech."

In her talk Mrs. Tufty emphasized a needed international joint effort among the men and women of the world if the U. N. O. is to succeed. She stated that the will of the people is imperatively needed.

During the blitz in England, Mrs. Tufty had some amusing experiences when she encountered what she called the "small people" of England. At the time she was covering the story of Britain.

Mrs. Tufty believes that the women of Washington play a much larger role than they are given credit for.

"The wives of the 'big names' of Washington are actually the secret weapons of Washington. Bess Truman is an outstanding example, as well as Mrs. Joseph Ball and Mrs. Arthur Vandenberg."

Mrs. Tufty possesses a keen, witty sense of humor and a direct way of putting things across. She has the distinction of being the only woman correspondent to accompany Governor Dewey on his cross country tour during his presidential campaign.

### STUDENTS QUIZ BRAIN TRUST

Students, here is the chance you have been waiting for. Information "squeeze" will be presented at Seibert Hall on Monday, April 8, at 8:00 p.m. The rules are as follows: (1) write your questions on a card 3 by 5 in. and place them in the boxes at Seibert Hall. (2) all questions must contain the correct answers and the reference for the answer. (3) all questions must contain the name of the person asking the question. Students, please make the faculty think and make them think hard.

### Many Enjoy SCA's Roller Skating Party

The S. C. A. sponsored a roller skating party at Island Park on Saturday night, March 23rd, from 7 to 11 o'clock.

Two buses took the group to the roller rink. The group arrived at the door and soon everyone was on skates.

The Kentucky Steal with couples participating was very interesting, but still better was the Kentucky Steal with trios.

When the buses arrived at 10:15 to take the group home everyone was reluctant to leave.

Those who attended were: Jane Malakames, Norm Gray, Jean Wheat, Peggy Bathgate, Doc Reichley, Ibbey Kiss, Bubbles Garman, Gloria Gasparoli, Irma Strawbridge, Mary Dale, Hilda Markey, Carol Schriener, Jane Gundrum, Arlene Decker, Carolyn Bossum, Hope Spicer, George Cooper, Bill Ruhl, Dave Sterrett, Joyce Bottori, Derr Troutman, Maude Jones, Frances Savidge, Martha Lundahl, Juanita Keller, Geraldine Allemen, Dave Beckwith, Dave Bomboy, Hope Peters, Herbert Dankman, Francher Wolfe, Bill Yanchio, Lillian Kepner, Harry Butts, Larry Weller, Peggy Latta, Ray Mould, Harry Weller, Margie Barton, Nancy Myers, Adele Heitoff, Verdella Lee, Ginny Cochran, Sue Schadt, Jean Kelly, Jean Blecker.

The chaperones for the party were: Miss Amelia Brosius, Miss Rosemary Lambertson, Dr. Scudder and son, Jimmy.

### S. U. Sends Four to Gov't. Convention

Pittsburgh, Pa.—Delegates from some 30 colleges and universities throughout Pennsylvania will be politicians for a weekend when they meet in Harrisburg, March 29-31, for the annual Intercollegiate Conference on Government.

Four delegates, Mary Lizzio, Jackie Braveman, Jean Kelly and Naomi Day, will leave S. U. March 28 for the state capital to attend the Model Congress which is the form the convention has taken.

Bills prepared in advance will be presented to the Rules Committee who will sort them and assign them to one of the following committees: Agriculture, Commerce and Finance, Education and Welfare, Foreign Affairs, Governmental Organization and Intergovernmental Relations, Labor and Industry, Military Affairs, Natural Resources Veterans' Affairs, Ways and Means.

During their three-day stay, the student politicians will have the opportunity to imitate the actions of the bigwigs in Washington. The various committees will report on bills that have been presented to them and voting will take place on the floor of the Forum in a general meeting of all delegates.

Highlight of the convention will be the election of the Speaker. The election will not take place until Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, allowing time for campaigning. At times these campaigns tend to be quite "vivid."

Sharing spotlight honors will be a (Continued on page four)

### Ten S. U. Delegates Attend Convention

Joseph Willard a sophomore at *Susquehanna*, was chosen first vice president of the State Debaters Convention on Saturday, March 23. At the convention more than 15 colleges were represented and from these delegates Mr. Willard was chosen to fill the office of vice president for the next convention in 1947. Mr. Willard is a returned veteran from the U. S. Army paratroopers where he served for over three years with the rank of Captain.

At 2:00 p. m., March 21, the following members of the debate society went to Penn State to attend the State Debaters Convention: Gloria Gasparoli, Joe Willard, Jackie Gring, Naomi Garman, Charles Lady, Alvin Glansburg, Grace Billow, Frances Lybarger, Martha Garard, and Derr Troutman.

After registration, four debates were held with the Penn State woman's teams. These were non-decision debates, but each team put forth fiery arguments. Following the debates a mixer was held in Old Main building.

Ten o'clock Friday opened the first session of the convention. Several addresses of welcome were given and the nominating committee chosen.

From eleven to one the various committees went into session. *Susquehanna* had six voting delegates represented who served in the following committees:

Committee on Foreign Trade—Alvin Glansburg and Charles Lady.

Committee I on Peacetime Preparedness—Jackie Gring, Naomi Garman.

Committee II on Peacetime Preparedness—Joe Willard, Gloria Gasparoli.

Each school, of which there were thirteen represented, was asked to prepare a bill to be presented before the committee. *Susquehanna's* bill was read by Joe Willard and further discussed by Gloria Gasparoli.

Each bill was read and discussed, and one bill chosen as the basis for consideration of the majority report. Following the adoption of such a bill the delegates proceeded to amend it so as to make it a more inclusive and a better bill to present before the main convention. The minority was given the privilege of withdrawing to prepare a similar report. These discussions continued during the afternoon.

Friday evening a banquet was held in the State College Hotel. Each committee chose an afterdinner speaker, and Joe Willard was the representative from his group. The address was "Democracy and the Future."

At 8:15 p. m. Friday the delegates again assembled to hear the report of the committee on Foreign Trade. After much discussion and many amendments the bill was finally accepted.

Saturday morning the reports of Committees I and II on Peacetime Preparedness were heard. Two minority reports as well as two majority reports were heard. After the reading of the four bills the minority report of Committee II was accepted as the basis for consideration. Few amendments were accepted and the bill went on record as the report of the majority.

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## EDITORIALS

### THINK !!!

#### Rushing

April Fool!! On April 1st the official rushing season begins on our campus. The fraternities won't be fooling either. Accordingly, a word to the non-fraternity men would not only be wise but informative.

Within the coming week many a freshman will be offered a coke, a movie, a dinner, etc. We advise these men that there be no drawing back. Each fraternity is out to sell their fraternity and it would be unwise for any freshman not to sample each house and the benefits which each house has to offer.

The Fraternity Senate has set up several standards which are to be followed. Also a Fact Finder has been published to aid all rushers in their choice. Our advice is, consider all proposals and read the fact finder carefully. All fraternities offer real fellowship but please consider the facts before you make up your mind. It is always wise to think before you act.

Phi Mu Delta has the largest house, Bond & Key is a local fraternity, and Theta Chi is the largest National frat on the campus. Beyond this the SUSQUEHANNA will not commit itself. The battle is on!!!

### ORCHIDS !!

We do not know which members of the Faculty comprise the Star Course Committee but we do know that they deserve more than mere thanks for the excellent selections they this year.

We have not heard a single disregarding word about either of the speakers Star Course presented. After listening to Mrs. Tufty and Mr. Fisher there were many exclamations of "I'm so glad I came". On the other hand, the musical programs were not so universally popular.

Many students have remarked that as Liberal Arts or Business people they do not care to listen to such "high brow stuff". The students who know music do not think it high brow at all. Perhaps the people who didn't like the music were people who did not understand it or people who need more musical experience to teach them to appreciate good music.

The reason the modern generation likes popular music so well is that they have been brought up on it and know it and hear it often. Next time you go to a concert, go prepared to really listen, to really enjoy it and soon you will find you have acquired a taste for good music. After all, good music lives on indefinitely. We passers-by who don't like it must be the ones who are wrong.

## CAMPUS CALANDER

March 26 to April 18

Tuesday, March 26—I. M. Basketball, 8:30.

Wednesday, March 27—I. M. Basketball, 8:30 p. m.

Wednesday, March 27—Lenten Devotions, 10:00 p. m.

Thursday, March 28—S. C. A. Meeting, President G. M. Smith, speaker, 7:15 p. m.

Saturday, March 30—Fraternal House Parties, 8:00-11:00 p. m.

Monday, April 1—S. C. A. Cabinet Meeting 5:00 p. m.

Monday, April 1—Pi Gamma Movie, 7:00 p. m. (Warner's Travelogue, Moving Pictures in color with music and narration)

Tuesday, April 2—I. M. Basketball, 8:30 p. m.

Wednesday, April 3—W. A. A. Meeting, 5:00 p. m.

Wednesday, April 3—I. M. Basketball, 8:00 p. m.

Wednesday, April 3—Lenten Devotions, 10:00 p. m.

Thursday, April 4—K. D. P. Dinner, 6:00 p. m.

Saturday, April 6—Auxiliary Meeting 2:30 p. m.

Monday, April 8—Student Council Meeting, 5:00 p. m.

Monday April 8—An Information Squeeze, 8:15 p. m.

Tuesday, April 9—Alpha Psi Omega, 5:00 p. m.

Tuesday, April 9—Business Society, 7:00 p. m.

Wednesday, April 10—Lenten Devotions, 10:00 p. m.

Thursday, April 11—S. C. A. Meeting, Pastor Heller, speaker, 7:00 p. m.

Friday, April 12—Recital Class 4:15 p. m.

Friday, April 12—Debate at West Point.

## CHATTERBRAIN

Time to go to press again and here we are with all the late don'ts.

The roller skating party was quite a success—judging from the number of couples who attended. Hope Spicer and George Cooper really made a smooth-looking pair, and Peggy Bathgate and Bill Ruhl also appeared to be having a wonderful time. Ray Mould took Peggy Latta. Jerry Alleman had a cute sailor's escort.

Did you notice how lost poor Marty looked this past weekend when George took off for home? Let's have that be the last time, George—we can't have Marty like that!

Rine Winey is still making his rounds, and ended up at Seibert Hall Saturday night with Jeannie Strausser.

Naomi and Dick dined out the other Friday at Brownie's home—Brownie was lauding the praises of having your wife here, and had to prove it to Dick!

Marge Herman's big heart-throb of the moment is Howard Huges. They're buzzing around just about every night someplace, and then in classes they look at each other starry-eyed. Gosh, ain't love simply wonderful?

Malkemes and Gray, and Hoffman and Radall spent a "Weekend in Hazleton" and from all reports it definitely wasn't "lost." Malkemes is sporting a class ring too—this bears watching!

Maizie Stout and Harry Culp have now joined the list of "campus steadies." Wonder where they might have been going when they got in the Sunbury bus early Sunday morning?

New Foursome on campus is Klick and Gundrum and Spicer and Wagner. They seemed to be getting along fine last Saturday night, how about it, kids?

Sunday "Doc" Reichley's boyfriend from Shamokin came to see her. They say he's a pretty nice guy—must be to date "Doc."

That man Gunnle was with on Saturday was Beekle's older brother—see the advantage of having an older brother: Hubba, Hubba!!

It seems that the favorite part of Botany lab is the time spent outside when Culp uses Edy MacConnell's shoes for sail boats on the fish pond. They float, too!

"Spook" Heaton can't decide between Ellie and Lari—and Lari can't decide between Heaton and Riley. How's that for a triangle—see if you can figure it out.

Betty Ramer was all smiles last week when she heard from her current heartbeats who is now attending the University of Southern California.

Jigger and Bubbles seem to be hitting it off pretty well of late—he tore back Sunday night about 8 to have a date with her. How about that car too—sharp, eh???

Joyce Botsdorf and Dave Sterrett are seeing a lot of each other these days, and looking very happy about it. Wouldn't be surprised if Dave's days of dating many girls have come to an end!

Best wishes to Florence Strause (better known as Effie) for that ring on the left hand, third finger. They say it's a boy from Harrisburg—best of luck to you, Effie!

This past week Beekle had a year and a half anniversary of being engaged to Gus and he said it with a gorgeous yellow rose corsage. Congratulations, Beekle and Gus!

Have you noticed the glances between Al Packman and Emily Botsdorf?

Saturday, April 13—Play at Juniata, Monday April 15—Formal Easter Dinner 6:00 p. m.

Monday, April 15—S. A. E. Easter Musical, 8:30 p. m.

Wednesday, April 17—Easter Recess, Noon.

This needs some watching.

Harry and Lili are doing fine of late have you seen them studying Bible on the front steps of Seibert (or so they say!).

Did you see Radall and Kaplus trying to teach Kain and Cryder how to play golf one day last week—it looked like a racket to me!

This Spring weather really gets you, doesn't it? Just walk around the campus and look at all the spring-struck couples. Jigger has his car up again and that really makes it look like Spring.

The basketball game between Phi Mu and Bond and Key last Wednesday was really terrific. The boys really played good ball and it was anybody's game at the half. As usual Gray wiped up the floor and Jerry didn't do so badly either. The next game at the end of the League ought to really be a good one so let's support our boys!

It seems Johnny Smith wrote a Valentine in Latin and it went something like this:

Our eyes have met,  
Our lips not yet.  
But, oh you kid!  
I'll get you yet!!

If you've heard any of the girls or fellows complaining about sore muscles, it's just another sign of Spring and outdoor sports such as softball, tennis, soccer for girls and baseball, football and track for the fellows.

Guess I'll have to sign off now, but I'll be seeing you next issue with more gossip and doings of the campus cut-ups!

## Girls Basketball Tournament Begun

On Tuesday, March 12th the seniors played the sophomores in the girl's inter-class basketball tournament. The Sophomores "took home the bacon" in that game by a score of 28-22. The The seniors who played in the game were: Margie Barton, Jean Wheat, June Hoffman, Carmen Beckwith, Helen Effe, Selena Lehman, and "Ben" Herr. On the sophomore team were: Peggy Minnier, Bobbie Kain, Hilda Markey, Winnie Doss, and G. G. Roberts.

In the same week on Friday the Juniors ran into quite a bit of trouble with our "Frosh," but finally managed to beat them by two points—the score being 20-18. The juniors who played were: Adah Wolfe, Nan Myers, Lee Cryder, Dottie Wagner, Mary Lizzo and Edith Kemp. The members of the "Frosh" team were: Fran Lybarger, Sue Schadt, Mary Dale, Mae Davidson, Muriel Phillips, and Sue Kretzing.

## VETERANS NEWS

All veterans who are covered by National Service Life Insurance and who have been mailing their premium payments to the Veterans Administration, Washington, D. C., are now obliged to send these payments to the collections subdivision, Veterans Administration, 346 Broadway, New York 13, N. Y., the Wilkes-Barre VA regional office announced today.

Allen Flock, former student of Susquehanna has returned to the conservatory to continue his study of music. Mr. Flock is from Sunbury and has just returned from service.

William Heim, also a student at the conservatory, is a former serviceman from Hollidaysburg.



## "Walk the Long Years" Ready for Printing

"Walk the Long Years", by Fredrick Brush, first book of the Susquehanna University Press, is now ready to put on the presses, after a year of editorial work by Drs. Wilson and Gilbert. Copies should be ready for distribution in time for commencement. The book will be three hundred and fifty pages long bound in green cloth with a two color dust cover, and will contain eighteen black and white sketches especially drawn by Betty Dawson Miller of Philadelphia. The pictures are now on exhibit in the library. One of them depicts a man homeward bound to vote; another, a winter scene, and another shows what fishing is like along the Juniata. These pictures are certainly well done and add greatly to the book itself. The originals of these drawings will be made available to be framed and put in the women's residence halls on the campus.

The book itself, a narrative of experiences acquired during a long lifetime of walking the whole length, some five hundred miles, of the doubled branched Susquehanna Valley and tributary valleys like the Juniata. It is in the spirit of the best nature writing done in America and bears comparison with Henry David Thoreau and John Burroughs.

## Business Society Hears Dr. Andruss

About 85 students, guests and members of the faculty and administrative staffs attended the monthly meeting of the Business Society held in the form of a St. Patrick's Day party on Tuesday evening, March 12 in the Seibert Social Rooms.

Special event of the evening was a talk by Dr. Harvey Andruss, president of Bloomsburg State Teachers College, on "Discovering the World of Business". Dr. Andruss, who recently resumed his duties at B. S. T. C. after a period of service in the armed forces, is the author if several books in the field of business education, among which is a text on bookkeeping methods used here at Susquehanna.

Dr. Andruss outlined the procedure for selecting a vocation in three steps: first, find out about yourself; second, find out about the occupation and, finally decide upon one. Preparation for the vocation is the next step. Then you must find a place where you can practice the things you have learned, keeping in mind the possibilities for advancement and what is in store upon retirement.

Dr. Andruss admitted that self-analysis is a very difficult task and he advised that students seek counsel with their instructors about their future work. He suggested many sources in finding out about occupations—magazines and folders have been prepared for that express purpose. The speaker also pointed out that the fields of aviation and radio are oversupplied.

In closing, Dr. Andruss made the impressive statement: "Character is an important as capacity", stressing the fact that it goes a long way in getting and holding jobs.

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## SOCIAL SLANTS

### PI GAMMA MU

On April 1, 1941, in Seibert Chapel, Pi Gamma Mu, will present Warner's Travelogue, which consists of two colored films, one on York county, and the other on Lancaster county. The travelogue will be accompanied by music and narration. The price of admission will be 24c. Tickets may be purchased from either Jean Kelly or Mary Litz.

### BIEMIC SOCIETY

The monthly meeting of the Biemic Society will be held Tuesday evening, April 1, in Steele Science 100. Dr. Robinson will speak on "Atomic Energy", with the intention of clarifying many of the points which are difficult to understand. "Realizing that there are questions in everybody's mind on this subject, the meeting will be turned in to a discussion period, with Dr. Robinson in charge.

### VESPERS

Last Sunday's vesper services in the chapel were led by Jane Malkames who gave a brief talk on "The House of God." She was assisted by Nancy Myers.

Winifred Myers was in charge of the Sunday evening service on March 17. The topic of her short message was "The Passive Master Lent His Hand." Marion Steigerwalt also contributed to this short devotional program.

### SAI NEWS

At the last formal meeting of the Sigma Alpha Iota National Fraternity for women, the following officers for the coming year 1946-47 were elected: President—Leonore Garman; vice president—Elro Hacker; Secretary—Elise Thompson; Treasurer—Prosta Arsenius; Chaplain—Hope Herbeson; Sergeant-at-Arms—Jeanette Kramer; Editor—Mary Ellen Wood.

The National Fraternity would like to thank all of the faculty and students who patronized the duo-recital presented by Dr. Alexander McCurdy and Miss Margaret Kaiser. It was one of the most outstanding and memorable events ever to be sponsored by the Fraternity.

Thursday evening, March 21, the Fraternity enjoyed a group dinner at the Colonial Tea Room.

### KAPPA DELTA PHI

On Thursday, March 21st, the girls of Kappa Delta Phi Sorority entertained the Honoraries of the sorority at a tea held in the Sorority Room. Present also were Mrs. Ralph Brown and Mrs. Fisher, two ex-Susquehannians, whose husbands are now students at Susquehanna.

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## STUDENTS HOLD EVENING RECITAL

The first Students Evening Recital was held March 18, 1946 in Seibert Chapel. The following program was presented:

1.—Piano—Prelude in E flat, Rachmaninoff, Miss Virginia Walker, Beavertown.

2.—Piano—Sleighride, Tschalkowsky, Miss Phyllis Teter, Northumberland, Pa.

3.—Song—Mary of Alendale, Hook, Miss Maude Jones, Shamokin, Pa.

4.—Flute—"Melodie" from Orpheus, Gluck, Miss Mina Sarba, Sunbury, Pa.

5.—Song—Do You Know My Garden, Wood, Miss Marjorie Mengel, of Freeburg, Pa.

6.—Piano—Valse Brillante, Mana Zucca, Miss Lenore Garman, Selinsgrove, Pa.

7.—Piano—Etude in G flat, Arensky, Miss Dorothy Starnat, Biglerville, Pa.

8.—Aria—O Mio Fernando (La Favorita) Donizetti, Miss Harriet Gould, Johnstown, Pa.

9.—Clarinet—Concertino, Weber, Miss Lenore Garman.

10.—Piano—White Peacock, Griffes, Miss Marie Klick, Wind Gap, Pa.

11.—Piano—A March-Jig (Maguire's Kick), Stanford-Grainger, Miss Elizabeth Miller, Williamsport, Pa.

12.—Aria—Depuis Le Jour (Louise) Carpentier; Song—Moon Markgetting, Weaver, Miss Hope Spicer, New Providence, N. J.

13.—Organ—Choral and Allegro Molto, Sixth Sonata, Mendelssohn, Miss Dorothy Starnat.

14.—Aria—O Beaux Reves (Etienne Marcel) Saint Saens; Song—The Cherry Tree Doth Bloom, Goatsly, Miss Carmen Beckwith, Pittsburgh, Pa.

15.—Choruses—a. Salangadon, Creole Folk Song; h. Tell Me, Mamma, French Bergerette, Susquehanna Singers, Mrs. Alice Glauke, Conductor.

Convincing sincerity and purposeful delivery distinguished the group of soloists.

## PHI MU NEWS

On Wednesday, March 13, 1946, Albert Kaplus and Howard Solomon were taken into Mu Alpha Chapter of the Phi Mu Delta Fraternity, as pledges. Past President Karl H. Young, now taking graduate work at Bucknell University conducted the pledging ceremony. At the present time the Fraternity is conducting a Ping Pong tournament and the winner will be announced in the next issue of the paper.

## Fraternities Hold Open House Mar. 30

There is to be an open house party held at each of the three fraternities—Bond and Key, Phi Mu Delta, and Theta Chi—on March 31.

The parties at each fraternity house will last from 8 a. m. until 11 a. m. There will be dancing, refreshments, and plenty of entertainment.

Parties such as these, have been held at the fraternity houses in the past and have proved to be very popular.

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## CLASS B

The Class B Intermural basketball games have already been completed. Bond and Key Fraternity won the championship with Selinsgrove Hall running a close second in the league.

The league consisted of the three fraternities: Theta Chi, Bond and Key, and Phi Mu Delta, and Selinsgrove Hall. Each team played one game with the other teams making a total of six games.

The Theta Chi vs Bond and Key game was forfeited by Theta Chi because of an interference in the social calendar. This gave Bond and Key three wins and no losses. Selinsgrove, as second in the league, won two and lost one of their games.

In the Class B league, only non-varsity men were permitted to participate in the games, thus giving some very spectacular and uncalled for plays in the games.

## CLASS A

The first half of the class A intramural basketball games has been completed. Again Bond and Key has shown its outstanding ability in sports by coming out with three wins and no losses. This time Phi Mu Delta came out second with two wins and one loss.

These games were also played among the four teams; the only difference being that in the Class A league all varsity men were allowed to play. Therefore, some of the games were very interesting because not only varsity was pitted against each other but there was very much fraternity spirit shown.

On March 20, the playoff game was played between the two tied teams, Bond and Key and Phi Mu Delta, to decide the championship, for the first half of the Class A league.

This game was by far the best game played in the league. At the half the score was 11-11, but after that Bond and Key slowly but surely battled to the lead ending the game with the score 44-33 in their favor.

There is still the other half of the league to be played.

## S. U. SENDS FOUR TO CONVENTION

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dance in the ballroom of the Penn-Harris Hotel on Saturday evening. Howard Gale's orchestra will provide the music.

## Conference Speakers

The Rev. Don Heiges was the leader of the Bible Study groups, which met Saturday morning in the chapel and Sunday morning in Trinity Church.

The Rev. Mr. Heiges is pastor for Lutheran students in Greater New York. His parish consists of about twelve hundred Lutheran students attending twenty different schools. They have a "metropolitan program," consisting of a half-dozen clubs which hold rallies, forums, parties, discussion groups, and dances.

Before going to New York City, Pastor Heiges was a member of the faculty of Gettysburg College, at which time he had charge of orientation of students. He served in this capacity for ten years.

Pastor Heiges said, "My principal joy here has been in getting down to a small church college campus in the country after living in the unnatural environment of Manhattan." He also stated that he heard a robin singing Saturday morning, which is a far cry from the rumble of the subways and the planes overhead.

Dr. Winburn T. Thomas is Executive Secretary of the Student Volunteer Movement. He was guest speaker of the L.S.A. Conference on Friday evening, and also had charge of the panel group discussion Saturday afternoon.

Dr. Thomas is at present living in New York City. He expects to go back to Japan as a missionary within the next year. He lived in Japan for seven years—from 1933 to 1940—having returned just before United States got into war with Japan. He was a good friend of the famed Knawa, Christian missionary and writer.

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Event ..... House Parties  
Date ..... Saturday, March 30  
Time ..... 8 to 11 P. M.  
Places ..... Theta Chi, Bond & Key  
Phi Mu Delta

## New Student

Warren Outerbridge, our new pre-theolog student, who is staying at Bond and Key, halls from Shelley Bay, Bermuda. His senior year in high school, however, was spent in Athens, Pennsylvania, so he is not entirely new to Pennsylvania. For the last four years Warren has been in the army in Bermuda as a motorcycle dispatch rider. As one of his hobbies he edited a small paper in the army as well as writing for several local ones. Collecting stamps is also a favorite pastime. Warren especially appreciates and likes the friendliness of the smaller campus.

## BOWLING POPULAR WITH THE PHI MU BOYS

The new Social Committee of Phi Mu Delta (Moglia, Stowe, and Culp) have inaugurated a regular weekly bowling program for the members of the Fraternity. These bowling sessions have been a success and to date have been held at the Victory Alleys in Sunbury.

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## DEBATERS PLAN FOR WEST POINT

The debating team has received an invitation from the United States Military Academy at West Point to be their guests April 13th and 14th. At that time, along with fifteen other colleges, five rounds of debate will be held. The question is, Resolved: that the United States should adopt universal military training as a permanent peace-time policy. Susquehanna is honored at being asked to participate for it will be the only small college at the tournament.

Arthur Gelnett and Joe Willard will be the two Susquehanna representatives. They will leave Friday afternoon, spending the night in New York, and arrive at West Point in time for the first round of debate, a seeding round, which will be on Saturday at one fifteen. There will be no decision for this first round, as it is for the purpose of gaining a position in the second round. The second round of debate will be held at two forty-five, the third at four fifteen, the fourth at seven fifteen and the final round at one thirty on Sunday. The judges for the debates will be the different college coaches.

Last year, the first year of such a debate, was an eight college tournament of four rounds. Susquehanna was eliminated by the team who won the tournament in the next to the last round.

## Open Houses Score Social Hit

On March 30 Open House was observed by all the fraternities on campus. The parties started at 8:00 and lasted until 11:00. Each house provided various forms of entertainment, presented skits, and served refreshments.

At Theta Chi those who attended enjoyed pool, ping pong, darts and dancing. Jack Warner played several popular and classical selections on the piano, and the fraternity members sang their fraternity song. Refreshments consisted of many varieties of sandwiches, potato chips, cakes, cookies, pickles, and punch. The couples present were Gelnett and Yarnell, Leach and Miller, Teitbohl and Beckwith, D. Beckwith and Robson, Dornisfe and Keller, Bringham and Moyer, King and Shook, Bingham and O. Keller, Spooner and Billow, Huges and Herman, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Grandolini, Ruhl and Reichley, Helm and Dauberman, Ralph Teitbohl, Robert Bowman, Jack Warner. The chaplains were Dr. and Mrs. Waterbury, Prof. Reitz, Mr. Haskins, and William Rothenberg.

Phi Mu entertained its guests with an up to date rendition of "Chloe," starring Harry Culp and Charles Mitchell. It left everyone in hysterics for the rest of the evening. The couples enjoyed ping pong and dancing. Those present were Zerbe and Kramer, Kaplus and Cryder, Lady and Southwick, Moore and Phillips, Welliver and Nitchman, Mould and Davidson, Fosselman and Lybarger, Stow and Sharwarko, Moglia and Day, Mitchell and Gelsinger, Heaton and

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## Four Students Attend Congress

Mary Lizzio, Naomi Day, Jean Kelly, and Jackie Braveman  
Delegates to Model Congress

On Thursday, March 28, the "Order of the Day" for Mary Lizzio, John Kelly, Jackie Braveman, and Naomi Day was a trip to Harrisburg to attend the Intercollegiate Conference on Government in the form of a Model Congress.

The moment the delegates donned their official registration tags they were swamped with pleas, requests, and threats about whom to vote for as Speaker and Clerk of the Model Congress. After a little back-slapping and log-rolling they found that they had pledged their vote to both parties that were competing, the small colleges and the large universities.

Friday morning the delegates met in the Education Forum and heard speeches by the Honorable Edward Martin, Governor of Pennsylvania; Honorable Andrew Blemler, Democratic Congressman from Wisconsin; and Honorable Fred Crawford, Republican Congressman from Michigan. Miss Genevieve Blatt, executive director of the conference then introduced the other members of the executive committee.

After lunch the delegates retired to their respective committee rooms: Jackie Braveman and Mary Lizzio, Military Affairs; Jean Kelly, Rules; and Naomi Day, Education and Welfare. These meetings were in session until five o'clock, reconvened at seven o'clock and adjourned when the work was finished which in some cases was after midnight.

Miss Braveman, Clerk of Military Affairs Committee, found that being ambidexterous would have been a great help. It was her duty to record all motions, amendments and roll calls and at the same time prepare copies of the approved bills in their amended and finished form to be sent to the Rules committee for consideration to be sent to the floor of the Model Congress.

After attempted participation in debate in the committee room and on the floor of the Model Congress, Miss Lizzio realized she should have read Robert's Rules of Parliamentary Procedure every night instead of her

Johnstown Democrat. She was possessed of the fear that she would have been called out of order if she gave her opinion as so many of the delegates were.

The political bosses and machines did not cease to operate Friday night for there were caucuses on every floor and in every hall of the hotel, and again the delegates renewed their loyalty to both parties.

The general session opened Saturday morning, too bright and early, with the election of officers to preside over the remainder of the sessions. For the safety and security of next year's delegation, the "congress-women for a weekend" do not wish to disclose their final decision. Anyway, our candidate won, Mr. Penny of Indiana State Teachers College.

During the general session Saturday and Sunday about thirty bills were passed in amended form out of a total of fifty-two that were sent to the Congress via the Rules Committee from the general committees. The general trend of the legislation passed was giving away money amounting to the billions of dollars and defeating all bills for taxation.

The delegation from Susquehanna was very proud when Miss Kelly's bill on the St. Lawrence Waterway was proposed, as a substitute for a similar bill, from the floor and accepted in its entirety.

When interviewed by the press, Miss Day stated that she didn't know how women could become eminent politicians because the men at the Conference tended to dominate all meetings. The male attitude seemed to be one of tolerance to the women as merely decorative persons rather than interested participants.

The Intercollegiate Conference on Government was established in 1934. Their purpose is not to preach, not even to teach, but merely to provide a means whereby students may learn together how their government operates. Each delegate from Susquehanna feels sure that the Model Congress was a great success and really worthwhile in that they were a part of government in action even though it was not the real thing.

There were twenty Pennsylvania Colleges represented with approximately two hundred delegates and faculty ad-

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## JEAN KELLY NEW EDITOR

The next issue of the Susquehanna will be under the management of the new staff. The new staff has been picked for their capability and interest in the field. The Editor for the coming school year as chosen by the present Editor, the student president of the Susquehanna Publication Association, the business manager, and two faculty advisors of the Susquehanna, will be Jean Kelly, a junior from Goshen, N. Y. Miss Kelly is a member of Kappa Delta Phi sorority and also a member of Pi Gamma Mu. At the present time she is serving as News Editor of the SUSQUEHANNA. Other staff members are as follows:

Business manager, Leah Cryder, '47; managing editor, Martha Garard, '48; news editor, Eleanor Steele, '48; advertising manager, Peggy Bathgate, '48; circulation manager, Gloria Walmer, '48.

The other officers will be appointed by the editor-in-chief.

The old officers are to be congratulated on a successful year of publication. The old officers are:

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## Brain Storm Reigns Information Squeeze

An "Information Squeeze" program was held at 8:30 p. m., Monday, April 8, in Seibert Hall Chapel. The usual procedure was reversed by having the student body hurl the questions at five members of the faculty. The performance, arranged by the social committee with Dr. Gilbert in charge, was open to the public.

The faculty "quiz experts" were asked questions submitted by students. The answer men were President G. Morris Smith, Dean Russell Galt, Dr. Arthur H. Wilson, Dr. William A. Ruse, Jr., and Dr. John J. Houtz. Dr. Russell Gilbert was quizmaster.

## Editor's Note

To whom it may concern:

I wish to express my most sincere vote of thanks to the members of the staff, the reporters, and faculty for their excellent services which they rendered toward the publication of the SUSQUEHANNA during '45-'46. Your kindness and cooperation shall always be held in grateful remembrance. To the new staff, I can but add my wish for success in the coming year. May the Susquehanna continue to grow to become bigger and better.

Signed,

THE EDITOR-IN-CHIEF.

Eleven hour, non-stop, coast-to-coast air mail service has been launched by one of the domestic airlines.

## ... Coming Events ...

Date	Event	Place	Time
April 9	Tuesday	Alpha Psi Omega	Seibert parlors 10:00
9	Tuesday	Business Society meeting	Social rooms 7:00
10	Wednesday	Lenten devotions	Seibert parlors 10:00
11	Thursday	S. C. A. meeting	Social rooms 7:00
12	Friday	Student Recital	Chapel 4:15
12	Friday	Debate at West Point	
13	Saturday	Play Day	Juniata College 10:00
15	Monday	Op. centrist demonstration	Steele Science 4:00
15	Monday	Formal Easter Dinner	Horton Dining Hall 6:00
15	Monday	S. A. I. Musical	Chapel 8:15
17	Wednesday	Easter Recess	Noon
22	Monday	Classes resume	Noon
24	Wednesday	Debate	Chapel 8:00
24	Wednesday	Guild meeting	Trinity 7:30
25	Thursday	S. C. A.	Seibert social rooms 7:00
29	Friday	S. C. A. Cabinet party	Trinity parsonage 8:00
30	Saturday	Phi Kappa	Social rooms 6:00

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## EDITORIALS

### Looking Back !!

For the present staff of the Susquehanna, the curtain is almost drawn. They are packing up their memories and left over thoughts of editing and publishing the school paper for the '45-'46 school term. When they took over last spring they pledged their services to the task of publishing a paper by the student and for the student. Whether or not their task has been fulfilled can only be answered by those who read the SUSQUEHANNA for the past nine months. They have tried to better the school by their editorials and features. Do you still remember those editorials? Many a gray hair has sprouted forth from the head region of the Editorial staff. Some times they were almost ready to throw in the towel because of the failure of the ideals to develop into real living things. But regardless of these failures they tried to carry on. Just as a matter of recollection, do you recall the following: the battle to get a much needed student store or cove shop on our campus, the battles against those hated creatures, "the cigarettns," or the stimulating ideas about brotherhood and the Red Cross drive. These plus many others were the objectives and rejections of this editorial staff. As a seed for thought, the readers of those editorials should keep in mind that perhaps some day all of our so called dreams shall come to light. Regardless of this fact, the editorial writers will continue to dream up new ones.

### Stop it Please !!

With the coming of the closing of another school term comes the election of new officers for all organizations. Most of the students on the campus will have a voice as to who shall lead what group. In any democratic form of organization you have the privilege

to vote and to voice your opinion as to who you think will be the best man.

In line with this thought comes the revolting idea of sorority and fraternity politics. True, that wherever you have democracy you have pressure groups. These pressure groups can at times be beneficial and can also at times be detrimental to a society. Therefore with these ideas foremost in our minds, let us think before we vote and let us choose the best young men and best young women to lead us in the coming year. Let us block "railroading" and strive for the BEST.

### Biemic Society Hears Dr. Robison on Atom

The Biemic Society held its monthly meeting Tuesday, April 2. At this meeting Dr. Robison spoke on the topic, "Atomic Energy." He first explained the structure of the atom, showing it is composed of a nucleus of protons and neutrons and surrounded by electrons. Using the Einsteinian theory that a relatively large amount of energy must be used to destroy mass, it can also be stated that a seemingly small quantity of mass can create great energy. Applying this theory, Dr. Robison explained the principles behind the breaking up of the atom and the energy created. In the atomic bomb, a neutron is introduced to hit an atom of Uranium, producing 200,000,000 e. v. Also, by a chain effect, three new neutrons are produced, thus geometrically cubing the number of neutrons by very fission of an atom with Uranium. This explains how very quickly a small mass is able to create great energy. In the discussion which followed Dr. Robison's explanation, many questions were asked and answered in such a way which further aided the understanding of the problems involved.

Also at this meeting, a field trip and picnic were planned for the May meeting of the organization. This is to be held on Saturday afternoon, May 4. Food and activity committees were appointed.

## CHATTERBRAIN

Here it is time for another column so I must sit down and put all the goings on into words. This will be my last column under the present editor—I've tried to print the truth and hope you are still with me. So now let's go to press with another column!!

This has been a season of house parties, fraternity rushing and gorgeous spring days—but we still find time to dash down to Reich's for a coke with our best beau.

The house parties on the 30th went over with a bang!! The food to be had was wonderful and the dancing and other entertainment helped too. Last but not least a mention of some of the couples that enjoyed all of this. The usual campus steadies were there plus some new and different combinations. At Phi Mu we saw Cooper and his gal from home; Al Woodring with Edy Kemp (both looking very happy—you can also see her in his flight jacket on campus—hmm!!); Welliver and Doty Nitchman having fun; Dick Wagner and one of our new Frosh of this semester—Mildred Beaver.

At Bond and Key we encountered soft lights, pastel decorations and soft music. All of which led to a wonderful evening, too. Some of our young married, set were there—everlovin' Herm and Brownie; Jimmy Clark and his wife; Dave Gross and Betty; and Richards and his wife. The rest of the crowd consisted of the usual steadies around campus. They tell me the food was out of this world.

At Theta Chi the evening was started off by a gift of a corsage to each of the guests of the boys. As at the other houses, good food, dancing, soft lights led to a really super evening. Some of the couples were Gelnett and Yarnell, Bomboy and Peters, Gus Tietbold came to make Beckie happy—he's free from the Army now and coming back to school this summer I believe.

The past few weeks we have seen some new romances blossom out on campus—perhaps it's the nice spring weather and these lovely nights, who knows???

Some dark, tall, handsome man has been coming to see Carolyn Graybill in a gorgeous black car. Come on, Carolyn, what's the big story on this, it looks pretty good to her!!

Ellie Steele looks so happy and I guess the reason is that she and Blair or should I call him "Spook" have finally gotten together—these moonlight walks do wonders, don't they?

I saw Mitchell and Mary Ann in Reich's the other night after the movies looking very happy in their own little world. I think this affair bears watching.

Peggy Bathgate has been getting telephone calls and visits from a local boy—one of the tall, dark and good looking type—by the name of Trolley, isn't it, Peg?

Bill Yancheo and Elaine Williams seem to be hitting it off pretty well too—they go to basketball games, house parties and movies and Reich's. Glad to see it, kids!

Then we heard that Vaughn Monroe was in Berwick so approximately 10 people took off for Hazleton after much phoning home for permissions, etc., and fixing up dates and cars and places to stay. The place to stay turned out to be Malkames' and I'll never understand how they did it. Speaking of this trip reminds me that Ellie and Bob have been doing quite a bit of traveling together—first to her home on Long Island, then to Hazleton and this past weekend they both took off in the direction of his home in Altoona, say, what have we got here????

Fraternity rushing—what a week! From the looks of most of the fellows

they all need a good night's rest. It seems that you put the rushes to bed at night and you're also there to wake them up in the morning. Oh what a life! From all the talk I've been hearing the guys really put themselves out—and I thought sororities rushed—big dinners, movies, skits, bowling, swimming, smokers, etc. But now that the fellows have been rushed and pledged don't be surprised to see them eating square meals, doing chores in the whole houses or saying speeches—it's all in a pledgship!

Speaking of weekends—there seems to be a special pulling force around Lewisburg that draws three Hassinger girls there every weekend. How about that Ann, Gay and Betty?? It can't be just Ann's mother's home cooking—could be Jack or Johnny though!!

Ruthie is back to see Joe again this weekend—and the rumor has it that the wedding will be in September but who knows—it may happen sooner, perhaps even in June!!

That seems like all there is to say, so I'll write "Fin" and wish the next writer of Chatterbrain—all the luck in the world!!

### Girls Basketball Tournament Results

After much fighting on everyone's part, the Junior came out victorious—winning three out of three games. They won over the Sophs, 21-15, and beat the Seniors, 19-6. The most exciting game played in the whole tournament was Juniors vs. Sophs. The Juniors were almost defeated but managed to win by a two point margin.

The Frosh were runners up, winning two out of the three games that they played. The scores of these games were: Seniors vs. Frosh, 46-11 in favor of the Frosh; Frosh vs. Sophomore, 25-24 in favor of the Frosh.

The Sophs came in third, winning one out of three games, Seniors vs. Sophs, 28-22, won by the Sophomores. The Seniors weren't too fortunate, but really did extremely well considering how Seniors went out for basketball. The referees, who assisted Miss Lambertson were: Helen Leply, Bobby Kain and Fran Lybarger.

### Alumni Album

August Kaufman, '42, began a two-year course in engineering at Lehigh University on February 23.

Lt. Josiah Houser, '43, has been elected teacher of mathematics at Derry Township High School in Mifflin county on a temporary basis after having been placed on terminal leave from the Navy.

Ralph E. Wolfgang, '42, is music supervisor in the Catawissa borough schools. He had served in the Army from June, 1942, until December, 1945, during which time his main "occupation" was that of a bandman.

George M. Bass, '44, who was graduated from the Mt. Alry Theological Seminary on February 26, is pastor of the Messiah Lutheran Church in Downingtown, and St. Paul's Lutheran Church at Lionville.

Chicago . . . In carrying out an expansion program one of the domestic airlines will hire 450 people a month for the next four years. (Air Press Service).

The Veterans Administration announced that they will open a service office in the very near future at Susbury, Pa.



## Fraternity Rush Week Closes

The fraternities rushing program for this semester got under way at 8:00 a. m. April 1, 1946, and lasted until April 5, 1946. During this time fraternity members were given the opportunity to decide which men they wish as "brothers," and the prospective pledges were given the chance to decide to which fraternity they wished to become pledges.

Each fraternity's social program for rushing week was varied, interesting, and highly appreciated by all those who attended. Movies, smokers, dinners, ping pong tournaments, bowling, and swimming, were some of the events which were enjoyed both by present fraternity members as hosts and prospective pledges as guests. Saturday, April 6, was the date set aside as pledging day.

### Theta Chi

On April 6, 1946, Theta Chi National Fraternity pledged six men, after a very successful rushing season.

Rushing week was opened on Monday evening with an informal party at the chapter house. On Wednesday evening a dinner was served in the house to nine rushers. After the dinner the entire group attended the movies in Sunbury. They then returned to the fraternity for refreshments. On Friday evening a banquet was held in the Edison Hotel, followed by a theater party.

President Arthur J. Geinett presided at the pledging ceremony at which time the following men were accepted as pledges: Robert Anderson, freshman, from Camden, N. J.; Louis Aprino, freshman, and discharged veteran from Berwick; Columbus Raup, ex-G. I. from Sunbury; William Ruhl, freshman and veteran from Millinburg; and Ralph Teitbohl, freshman from Williamsport. These men were taken in accordance to a quota as established by the Inter-Fraternity Senate of the University. Wilfred Sheetz, of Selingsgrove, who has returned to Susquehanna after three years of service in the army, was also pledged by the Beta Omega Chapter. Bill Ruhl was elected president of the pledge group and Ralph Teitbohl was chosen as secretary-treasurer.

Next Saturday, April 13, the Theta Chi District Three meeting will be held at the Drexel chapter house in Philadelphia. Plans are now being made for the national meeting to be held September 4-6 at the Edgewater Beach Hotel in Chicago.

### Phi Mu Delta

With the end of rushing season the Mu Alpha Chapter of Phi Mu Delta Fraternity added seven new pledges to its house.

On Saturday, April 7th, at 1:30 p. m., the following men were pledged at a ceremony conducted by President Joseph Taylor: George A. Cooper, Millard G. Fisher, Kenneth M. Werz, William H. Poust, Robert W. Radell, James B. Reilly, and Alvin J. Woodring.

During the rushing season a "stag" dinner and "smoker" was given the rushers, honoraries, and brothers. A skit entitled "The Sad Sack" was presented by members of the Chapter who were recently members of the Armed Services. The "Sad Sack," none other than our own Charlie Mitchell, had

## SOCIAL SLANTS

### ODS News

On March 16, 1946, the honoraries of O. D. S. entertained both active members and pledges of the sorority to a dinner at the Colonial Tea Room. Several O. D. S. girls who had previously attended S. U. were present at the dinner. After the meal the girls gathered around in several groups and participated in several card games.

On March 20, 1946, the active members of the sorority entertained the pledges with a chicken dinner at the Colonial Tea Room. After dinner, the entire group attended the weekly Wednesday night Lenten services held at Trinity.

This past Sunday night, April 7, the monthly get-together for both active members and pledges was held in the sorority room from 9:30 p. m. to 10:30 p. m. Songs were sung and refreshments were served.

### Business Society

The Business Society of Susquehanna University will sponsor a Paper Salvage Drive from May 1 through May 16. All contributions to this paper drive will be greatly appreciated. Louise Kretzinger, chairman of the Paper Salvage Committee, can be reached by calling Haxsinger Hall 9040-R-3. Miss Kretzinger will then have someone call at your residence or business establishment for your contribution.

The proceeds from the drive will be added to the Scholarship Fund, which is the current project of the Society.

### Vespers

The vespers service on March 31 was conducted by Bobbie Gaetz and Bob Palmer. The theme was "Christianity Through Race Tolerance and Individual Discipleship."

The order of service was as follows: Prayer  
Hymn—"Froom Greenland's Icy Mountains"  
1st Scripture—"Ye are all one"  
1st Talk—"Christianity through Race Tolerance"  
Hymn—"O Zion Haste"  
2nd Scripture—"The Great Commandment"  
Matt. 22:39-40  
2nd Talk—"The failure of one disciple to relay the Gospel message interrupts the whole chain of messages"  
Hymn—"Fling Out the Banner"

the lead in the skit which was written by Blair Heaton. There was also a successful bowling party given the rushers.

### Bond and Key

After rushing week the Bond and Key Club pledged Kenneth Orr. Thursday night was set aside by the Inter-Fraternity Senate as the night for the Bond and Key party. The members and prospective pledge group were treated to a dinner at the Colonial Tea Room. Also on Friday night the club held a swimming party at the Milton YMCA.

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### Women's Council

Elections for Women's Student Council were held last week. The following officers will serve for the term 1946-1947:

President of Student Council, Ruth Williams; Seibert house president, Helen Eby; Haxsinger house president, Hilda Markey; head of the Judiciary committee, Jean Kelly; social chairman, Jane Gundrum.

### SCA News

On Thursday, March 28, the Student Christian Association held its monthly meeting in the social room in Seibert Hall.

A hymn was sung, after which the scripture was read by Hope Spicer, with a prayer following. The speaker of the evening was Dr. G. Morris Smith. Dr. Smith spoke on "Hope," and in his talk pointed out that one of the main constituents of hope is faith. He also quoted Robert Louis Stevenson by remarking the following meaningful sentence: "It is better to travel hopefully than to arrive."

After the address another hymn was sung. The meeting was brought to a close by Dr. Smith, who pronounced the benediction.

### Miss Joram to Wed Pres. Smith

Mrs. William C. Joram, of Philadelphia, announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Ruth Joram, this week, to Dr. G. Morris Smith, president of Susquehanna.

At the present time Miss Joram is serving as Secretary for Promotion of the Women's Missionary Society of the United Lutheran Church of America.

## Pi Gamma Mu Show Movies

On Monday evening, April 1, Pi Gamma Mu presented Warner's travelogue. This travelogue consisted of three parts: one on Philadelphia, one on Lancaster, and one on New York City. These travelogues were accompanied by narration by Mr. Warner.

The travelogue on Philadelphia showed such places as the first bank, the first theatre, and the first church. It also showed various parts of the city which are outstanding for their connection with William Penn, such as Penn's home, the cottage he built for his daughter, and the house in which his wife lived as a child. Several places, connected with the American revolutionary war, were shown. One was the scene showing where a battle had taken place. Another historical scene was that of the Betsy Ross house, where the first flag was made.

In conjunction with his travelogue on Philadelphia, Mr. Warner showed pictures of history laden Valley Forge.

The second travelogue presented scenes from Lancaster county. It pictured many of the Amish and other religious sects that are concentrated in this area. It also showed many of the farms for which this area is noted. A humorous sidelight was the picturing of a Mr. Landis and his collection of antiques, among which were examples of early stage coaches and Conestoga wagons.

From Lancaster county, we traveled up to New York for some scenes of its tall buildings such as the Empire State and Radio City.

We were also given glimpses of the East Side, Greenwich Village, Gramercy Park, and Central Park.

Mr. Warner also included in his film of New York, New Yorkers' famous amusement places of Coney Island and Jones Beach.

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# -SPORTS-

Things look dark at present for the return of football at Susquehanna University this coming fall. Thus far there are but two veterans of former Crusader teams on the campus. They are "Kap" Kaplus, stellar end of the 1942 team, and Joe Taylor, veteran tackle also of the 1942 team. Taylor is to captain the coming 1946 Crusader team.

It is anticipated that there will be some other old gridmen back by fall. Some of those expected back are: Eve Zlock, Dick Lindemann, Joe Wos, and Pete Peters.

During the three week period of spring practice several other men showed promise of being beneficial to the 1946 squad. These are: Dick Barry, Pete Beck, Harry Culp, Rennel Edmunds, Jerry Moore, Ken Orr, Columbus Raup, and Harry Welliver.

Coach Amos A. Stagg, Jr., has been working very hard to develop our 1946 Crusader team, and with the help of the rest of the college and its students, next fall's team will be successful.

## FOUR STUDENTS ATTEND CONGRESS

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visors in attendance. The following colleges were represented: Pennsylvania State College, University of Pittsburgh, University of Pennsylvania, Dickinson, Duquesne, Theil, Seton Hill, Mercyhurst, Mount Mercy, St. Vincent, Immaculata, California State, Shippenburg State, Bryn Mawr, Misericordia, Keystone, Indiana State, Hershey Junior, Swarthmore, Pennsylvania College for Women, and Susquehanna.

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## WAA Elects

On Wednesday, April 3, 1946, the monthly meeting was held in the social rooms of Seibert Hall. Four freshmen were taken in as members. They are: Francis Lybarger, Juanita Keller, Susan Schadt, and Mary Dale.

An election for next year's officers took place. Mary Lizzio is president; Gloria Reichley, vice president; ? ? ? secretary; and Dottie Wagner, treasurer.

The plans for the May Day program were discussed. Peggy Minier is in charge of the voting of the May Queen and Court. Leah Cryder is chairman of the property committee. Jane Gundrum will have charge of the May Day Breakfast. Dottie Elhart will make the programs. It has been decided to keep the decision of May Queen a secret until the ceremonies take place on May 11.

The individual tournaments are progressing rapidly. Miss Lambertson is also giving instruction in archery.

## Alumni News

Forrest Adams, '42, recently discharged from the U. S. Army, is now an accountant and bookkeeper for the Pugh, Brothers, Jewelers, in Pittsburgh.

Douglas Portzins, '41, has enrolled in the Temple University Law School, where he is a second year student. His studies were interrupted when he entered the Army.

## OPEN HOUSES

### SCORE SOCIAL HIT

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Etc., Le, Waikel and Walmer, Culp and Stout, Woodring and Kemp, Merz and Spire, Mr. and Mrs. Edmunds, Cooper and Gee, Wagner and Reaver, Price and Rush, Kaufman and Smith, Joe Taylor, Reilly, Gustafson, Anderson,

Johnson. The chaperons were Dr. and Mrs. Wilson and Prof. and Mrs. Hatz.

Bond and Key house party guests were: Larry Weller and Peg Minnier, Pete Lamon and Ruth Williams, Ben Bergstresser and Dawn Ebert, Warren Outerbridge and Harriet Gould, Rine Winey and Jean Straussner, Mr. and Mrs. James Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Richards, Kenn Orr and Gabby Speyer, Al Derr and Doris Wanbaugh, Dave Sterrett, and Joyce Bottorff, Pete Beck and Joan Apple, Gene Gundrum and Janie Gundrum, Harry Butts and Lillian Koprner, Jigger Dal Vechia and Bobby Kain, Bob Fellows and Edie Thompson, Norm Gray and Jane Malkames, Fancher Wolfe and Nancy Conrad, Herbie Dankman and Caroline Bouson, Bill Yancho and Elaine Williams, Al Glanzberg and Ibbey Kiss.

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. Percy Linebaugh and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Graham.

With the decorations still intact from last week's house party, Bond and Key held another open house on Saturday evening, April 6. Dancing, cards, and refreshments were enjoyed by all attending. Those who attended included: Larry Weller, Peggy Minnier, Al Derr, Doris Wanbaugh, Ken Orr, Jane Southwick, Dave Sterrett, Joyce Bottorff, Gene Gundrum, Marie Klick; Harry Butts, Lil Kepper; Warren Outerbridge, Harriet Gould; Herb Dankman, Jean Wheat; Pete Lamon, Ruth Williams. Dr. Robison, chaperon, exhibited true dancing talent with all the young ladies.

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